

Last Edition

## THE WINCHESTER NEWS.

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## HUNDREDS VISIT THE NEWS' OFFICE TO SEE NEW PRESS

Visitors Are Always Welcome. Motor is Now Working In Satisfactory Way And Duplex Is Being Tested Before Running Off An Edition

Several hundred visitors called at The News' office Monday to inspect the new Duplex press. Many of the visitors were country people who were in the city for court day.

The motor has been fixed by the light company and it is now running the press in a satisfactory manner.

Mr. Bates, the Duplex representative, is now testing and regulating the machine and the big new press will be in full operation within a few days now.

Visitors are always welcome. The News likes all its friends and patrons to see just what it is doing. Come at any time and come often.

## PROGRAM IS READY FOR THE ENTERTAINMENT OF HEAD CAMP

Winchester Camp No 82. W. O. W. Working Hard To Make Great State Meeting In March A Success.

All arrangements are about completed by Winchester Camp, No. 82, W. O. W., for entertaining the Head Camp that meets here the 9th of March. The public is cordially invited to attend the opening exercises that will be held at the Court House on the morning of the 9th. The following is the program for the opening exercises:

Call to order—C. A. Tanner.  
Invocation—Rev. C. E. Crafton.  
Music.  
Response to the opening address—Ramey T. Wells, of Murray, Ky.  
After the opening ceremonies the lodge will go in the secret session for the purpose of transacting business. The music will be furnished by the pupils of the High School.

## BIG LEAGUE PLAYER SIGNS

H. Schmidt Who Formerly Played With Brooklyn, To Be With Winchester.

Monday's mail brought joy to the hearts of the ball fans for it came the signed contract of H. Schmidt, formerly of Oakland, California Coast League, and was loaned by that club to the Brooklyn National League Club. Schmidt is a player with an old head and plenty of experience and will be a tower of strength to the team.

Manager Horn writes that now that he has Schmidt's contract, the team is complete and he is ready for the bell to tap. Horn worked his rabbit foot in getting Schmidt's release and signature, and he is to be congratulated on the success of his efforts. Schmidt has pitched in two of the fastest leagues of the country and great things are expected of him next year.

## ORATORICAL CONTEST ON MONDAY NIGHT

Seven Speakers Will Try For Representative in the State Contest.

The Inter-Society Preliminary Oratorical Contest will be held at Kentucky Wesleyan College Monday night for the purpose of selecting a representative of the college at the State Oratorical Contest that will be held in Lexington in April. The following is the program that will be rendered:

Music—Orchestra.  
Invocation—Rev. O. J. Chandler.  
Oration—"Is it Worth While."—P. B. Trigg.  
Oration—Limitation of Inheritance.—R. H. Faris.  
Music—Orchestra.  
Oration—"America and the Far East."—R. P. Combs.  
Oration—"The Prince of Peace."—G. G. Fiskett.  
Music—Orchestra.  
Oration—"The Red Head Chief."—L. Cockrell.  
Oration—"Money, Its Use and Abuse."—W. V. Cropper.  
Music—Orchestra.  
Oration—"Political Reform."—M. D. Aitkin.  
Music—Orchestra.

Decision of Judges.  
The judges on thought and composition are Prof. R. B. Dennis, of Northwestern University, Prof. Swinehart, of Bloomingburg, Ohio, High School, and Prof. M. M. Hall, of Genesee Wesleyan Seminary.

## BUYS INTEREST IN WINN CO.

Mr. Prewitt Harris Has Been With Mr. E. L. March, of Lexington, For Three Years.

Mr. Prewitt Harris, formerly of this city, but now with E. L. March, of Lexington, has bought a one-half interest in the Winn Furniture Company and will take up his duties March 1.

Mr. Harris was formerly a salesman in the Winn Furniture Company's store. He left this city about three years ago going to Lexington to take a position with E. L. March, one of the leading furniture dealers of that place.

Mr. Harris is one of the most popular, energetic and industrious young business men that this county has ever produced and while working here made for himself innumerable friends who wish him unbounded success in his new venture.

## ALL AMERICA HONORS WASHINGTON'S MEMORY

Churches, Schools, Banks and Public Officials Take Special Note Of Day.

All America today is doing honor to the memory of the first President of the United States. More than a century and a quarter has passed, since the name of Washington, first sent thrills through the hearts of Americans and during those years his admiring countrymen have increased in numbers more than sixty fold.

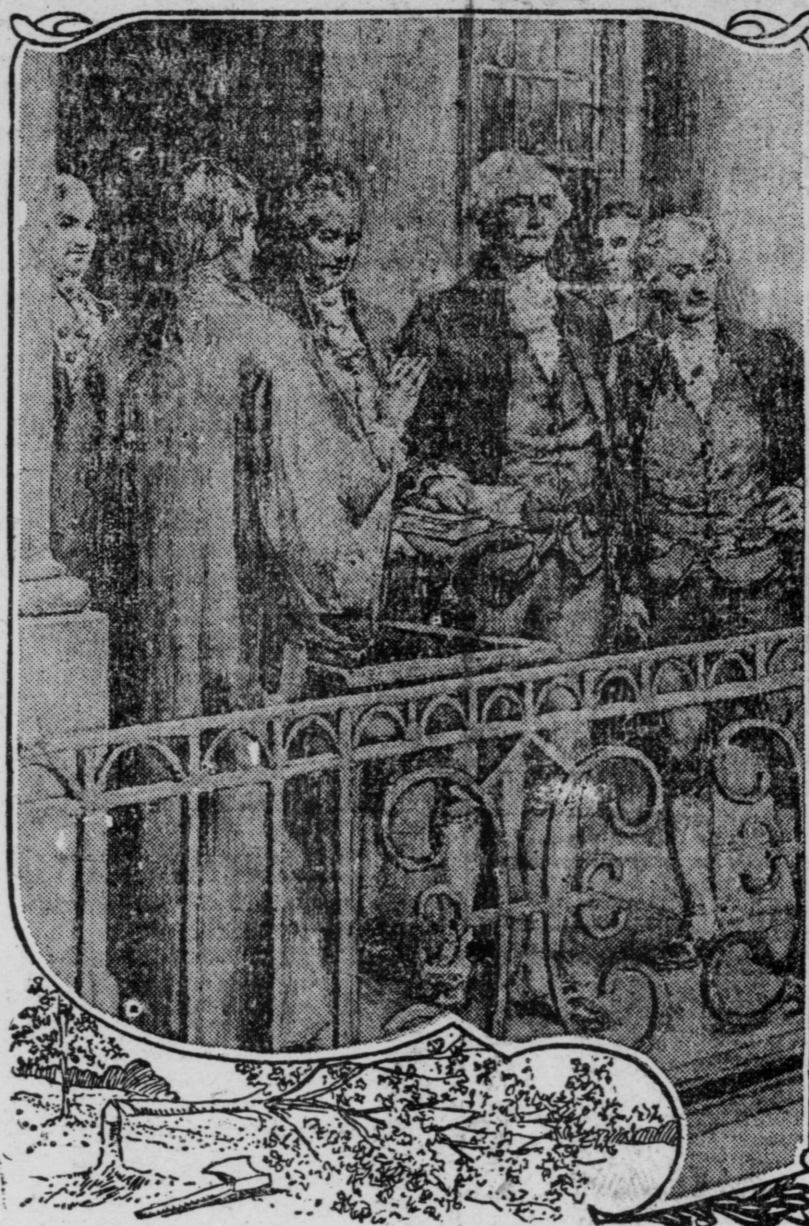
Yesterday in many of the churches of the city the ministers gave patriotic addresses in honor of George Washington, and today the schools and colleges, city and government offices and the banks will be closed because the country has made February 22nd, a national holiday.

## DAUGHTER OF IL-LUSTRIOUS SIRE.

PARIS, Ky., Feb. 22.—The body of Miss Elizabeth Hart, aged 75 years, who died at Altoona, Pa., was interred here today. Miss Hart was a relative of the great commoner, Henry Clay.

Judges on Delivery are William Myall, of Paris; J. M. Stevenson, and C. E. Crafton.

The contest will begin promptly at 7:30 in order to allow those who desire it to get to the Auditorium on time.



WASHINGTON'S FIRST INAUGURATION.

This photograph from an old steel engraving probably is a very faithful representation of the historic scene enacted at Federal hall, New York, on April 30, 1789. General Washington walked from the Battery up to Federal hall, which was on the site of the subtreasury building, and the streets were lined with a cheering throng of patriots. After the ceremony the president walked to St. Paul's church, his first official act being to attend divine worship.

## LARGE CROWD OF FARMERS AT FEBRUARY COURT DAY

1200 Head Of Cattle On Market—Price Ranges From 3 To 4 1-2 Cents—Mules Are Plentiful And Bring Good Prices.

The February county court day witnessed one of the largest crowds that has been seen here on a county court day this winter. Business everywhere was reported to be flourishing and plenty of money was in circulation during the day.

There was an unusually large number of mules on the market, even larger than that of last court day, and the demand for them was great and good prices were obtained on all of them. As a rule this season of the year is always good for the sale of mules on account of spring approaching when the farmers need them most for plowing, etc., but those who are in a position to know say that the demand for them this year is greater

than it has been for several years. At the Farmers' and Shippers' Stock Yards there was about 1200 head of cattle on the market. There was a good crowd at the yards and the buying was brisk and good prices were realized on all of them. The average price was from 3 to 4 1/2 cents. The quality of the stock offered was exceptionally good.

There was several farming implements sold on the streets, such as plows, harness, harrows. Jim Scobee, of the Scobee Spoke Factory, had a number of creosoted single-trees on the streets selling them. This furnished a great attraction for the farmers and a number of them were sold.

## SEVEN OF THE CREW ARE KILLED IN HEAD-ON COLLISION

Express Train And Two Locomotives Meet On Delaware Division Of The Pennsylvania Railroad This Morning.

Special to The News.

WILMINGTON, Del., Feb. 22.—Seven of the train crew were killed and two passengers injured in a collision between an express train and two locomotives on the Delaware division of the Pennsylvania railroad this morning at Delmar. The dead were Oliver Perry, express messenger; baggage man, J. McCreary; engineer, George Davis and mail clerks, Woods and Cochran.

## ANOTHER AMATEUR FAKIR BROUGHT TO LIGHT

Young Man Uses Good Name of College to Win Confidence.

A young man who claims to be a student of Kentucky Wesleyan College has been taking orders among our people for subscriptions to various magazines.

The News is requested by Prof. H. K. Taylor to state that the young man is not and never was a student in the college and to warn the people against him.

## SCHEDULE COMMITTEE TO MEET AT PARIS

Blue Grass Baseball League to Formally Announce Games Tuesday.

The Schedule Committee of the Blue Grass baseball league will meet in Paris Tuesday for the purpose of completing the schedule and formally admitting Paris into the league. Winchester will be represented by Jeff Stewart and Henry Phillips.

## \$150,000 FOR CLARK COUNTY TOBACCO GROWERS ON 1906 CROP

Total Amount Is Being Paid Out, Except On 135 Hogsheads Which Are Now In Cincinnati And Will Be Paid For In Few Days.

The Clark County Board of Control began paying out on the 1906 crop of tobacco Monday. Checks are ready and \$150,000 will be in the hands of the growers just as fast as they call and it can be turned over to them. All the money for the 1906 crop will be paid this time, except on 135 hogsheads sold to the independent, which has not been paid for and is now in Cincinnati. Payment on this will be made in a few days.

Growers who have tobacco in the 1906 pool will please call at the of-

fice of the Clark County Equity Warehouse Company and receive their checks on the 1906 crop. Where liens are held against a crop of tobacco, all parties holding the liens as well as the owners of the tobacco must be present when the check is delivered so that they can agree on the amount and interest due on the liens and the correct amount paid to each lien holder. All contracts held by growers must be presented when the check is delivered. CLARK CO. BOARD OF CONTROL.

## TO PASS SENATE THIS SESSION TREATY GOES TO THE HAGUE

Postal Bank Bill Will Be Pressed and All Financial Bills Are Settled.

Washington, Feb. 21.—The postal savings bank bill, after having been opposed for many weeks, although it has been the unfinished business of the senate, may yet be passed at the present session. The unexpected progress which was made with appropriation bills will give Senator Carter opportunity to again press the postal savings bank measure, and it is said that with a number of amendments that it could be put in shape where it would be acceptable to the senate. In the short time that remains of present session it is not thought possible to get the bill toward the house, but it is argued that passage by the senate would be an important step toward redeeming the promise made by the Republican national committee to enact the legislation.

There is no chance at the present session, according to a conclusion reached by Senator Flint, for the passage of the bill to reimburse E. H. Harriman for \$2,000,000 expended under his direction by the Southern Pacific railroad to control the overflow waters of the Salton sea. President Roosevelt has been anxious that the obligation be discharged, as Mr. Harriman repaid the damage when there was no appropriation under which the government could do the work.

Consideration of the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill was begun in the house of representatives. The bill carries a total appropriation of \$3,592,738. Mr. Cousins (la.), chairman of the committee on foreign affairs, explained the provisions of the bill.

Act Saves Famous Grove of Trees.

Washington, Feb. 21.—President Roosevelt, by signing the bill for the creation of the Calaveras national forest, California, has completed the legislation which saves for all time the most famous grove of trees in the world. This act is the culmination of efforts extending over the past nine years. No treasury appropriation is needed to carry out the provisions of the act. Robert B. Whiteside of Duluth, Minn., owner of the big tree groves, receiving in exchange therefor stumps of equal value on other forest lands owned by the government. The bill had the support of the entire California delegation in congress.

Rejected All Bids.

Washington, Feb. 21.—Congress having failed to increase the limit of cost for the proposed new dry dock at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, to \$3,500,000, as recommended by Secretary Newberry, the latter has rejected all bids under the recent advertisement, the lowest responsible bidder being far in excess of the limit authorized. New bids will be asked for, which will contemplate the construction of a dock considerably smaller than the one, 1,190 feet long, originally proposed.

ANNOUNCES FOR LEGISLATURE.

CAMPTON, Ky., Feb. 22.—The Hon. John Carter, former Sheriff of Morgan county, has announced as a candidate for Representative from this, the Nine-first legislative district composed of the counties of Morgan and Wolfe, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

Miss Myra Duke, of Maysville, is the guest of Mrs. Gus Brooks.

American Rights in Canadian Waters Are Defined—Text Is Given To the Public.

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 22.—The treaty defining the rights of American fishermen to fish in Canadian and Newfoundland waters, which now goes to The Hague for adjudication on disputed points, has been made public.

In the negotiations the Americans sought to have the word "rights" used, but under Canadian pressure the word "liberties" was submitted. The British cause holds that Americans are subject to reasonable local restrictions in exercising the "liberties."

The American contention is against this, they maintaining that any restriction must be concurred in by the United States. Canada also contends that the three-mile limit does not enter bays of less than six miles in width. The Americans claim it follows the shore line.

A supplementary agreement between Ambassador Bryce and Secretary Root provides that the agreement of 1845 for the use of Canso strait and the bay of Fundy shall be continued without prejudice to Canada's claim for exclusive jurisdiction in these waters.

## BREAKS WORLD'S RECORD

Burman Does Fast Century Stunt on New Orleans Track.

New Orleans, Feb. 22.—Robert Burman, in his Buick car, broke the world's record for 100 miles on a circular track in the feature event of the second day of the Mardi Gras speed carnival. Burman made the distance after a most remarkable drive in 1:42:30 2-5, this being over 11 minutes faster than the previous record, made by Clemens in Indianapolis in 1905.

## CASTRO IS TO RETURN HOME

At Least That is the Announcement Given Out at Dresden By Former Dictator.

Special to The News.

DRESDEN, Feb. 22.—Former President Castro will return to Venezuela and resume the position of a private citizen. That is the announcement given out here this morning by the former dictator. But those who are in touch with international affairs believe that the announcement is simply talk to influence some plan which Castro has in view. It is not believed that it would be safe for him to return to Venezuela now.

CARNEGIE GIVES \$1,500

It was announced Sunday at the services of the Christian church that Mr. Andrew Carnegie had agreed to give the church \$1,500, one-half the cost of the organ, provided the church would raise the other half. The ladies of the church have already raised the other half and Mr. Carnegie will give them the money some time in the near future.





## You Cannot Answer These Questions!

1—Why do you continue bathing your knees and elbows one at a time, when you can stretch out in a full bath tempered to suit you, and can do so every morning if you wish?

2—Why pump and carry water for your kitchen and laundry work when you can have it at hand for the turning of a faucet?

3—Why take chances on drinking germ-filled cistern water when you can get it from a large reservoir filtered through the best filter plant South of the Ohio River?

4—Why have a dry, dismal-looking yard when you can have it filled with green grass and blooming flowers, and can at the same time get rid of the dust in the street?

5—Why suffer other inconveniences when you can have everything for the comfort and health of your family right in the house?

6—Is it not true that the answer is not "lack of money," but lack of economy and enterprise and indifference to getting the most out of life?

C. F. ATTERSALL, Superintendent

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#### A Little Woman.

"I want to get a mitten, please," said the little girl, "if it don't cost too much." "Oh, you mean a pair of mittens, don't you, my child?" replied the shopkeeper. "No, just only one; one that's suitable for a boy that's going to propose and be rejected."

#### WASHINGTON ONCE GAVE UP

to three doctors; was kept in bed for five weeks. Blood poison from a spider's bite caused large, deep sores to cover his leg. The doctors failed, then "Bucklen's Arnica Salve" completely cured me," writes John Washington, of Bosqueville, Texas. For eczema, boils, burns and piles its supreme. 25c. at Phillips Drug Company.

#### How to Have Bright Eyes.

There is nothing better for the eyes than simple salt and water, for salt is a stimulant and a disinfectant. When the eyes are inflamed, drop a little boracic acid in them. It will take all the inflammation out of them. It is safe and refreshing. The boracic acid is made by dissolving a little boracic acid in warm water.

#### The Lesser Evil.

The colored boy employed by a New York lady was named Lycurgus Jones. "Lycurgus is a rather long name," she said to him; "suppose I call you Gus for short." "Ah doesn't like nicknames," he replied. "If you doesn't like Lycurgus, you kin call me Jonesey." She calls him Lycurgus.

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#### The Law of Speculation.

Big men are given to taking profits, while smaller men are laying a basis for profits that may or may not be shown. The law of the fishes in the sea applies in speculation. The big and the little fish have their respective missions, and the small ones are safe when the large ones are not hungry.

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## NOTES FROM MEADOWBROOK FARM

By William Pitt



Feed corn as the evening meal.

Like the bean a man needs snap to be worth anything.

It is nearly time to think about getting the hot bed started.

In all your management of the flock let it be with the aim to improve your stock.

A little millet scattered in the straw will set a flock of hens to work as perhaps nothing else.

Never was a saying more true than an ounce of prevention is better than a pound of cure than in the poultry business.

It's a little trouble to put the tools back in place after using, but it saves lots of time when next they are wanted.

None too early to begin the campaign against the lice and mites. Begin now and avoid the rush—that is, the inrush of the pest during the summer time.

Well-filled is not always well-fed. The hen will crowd its crop full of corn, and will put on fat, but will lay few eggs. To be well-fed means more than just plenty of it. It means those kinds of food which will go to make eggs.

The farmer may get along without keeping a diary, but he ought not to try to run the farm without keeping some kind of accounts, as to output and income. Too many farmers are doing business by guesswork and not by facts.

The hen cackles because she has something to advertise, and when she has properly announced the arrival of the new invoice of goods, she gets busy to do another day's business for the farmer. What would the farm be without the business hen?

Do you know which crops netted you a profit last year and how much? Do you know what animals you fed and made money on? Of course you don't if you kept no accounts or records. Quit such reckless methods. Do your farming as the business man conducts his business.

Some poultrymen say: "Don't allow the flock to go out when there is snow on the ground." This is a mistake. Let the hens be the judge as to when they will go out and take the air. Open up the slide every bright day that is not too cold or windy, and the hens will go out on the snow and will go back in when comfort demands it.

It would be a first-rate plan during the leisure of the winter days to make an inventory of all you have on the farm—buildings, equipment, machinery and stock. Know what you have. Plan how best to work the farm, and use the machinery, and you will find that there will be a larger margin between expenditures and receipts than ever before.

Pennsylvania must have some awfully good and awfully poor cows, for the average annual production per cow of the state, according to the dairy officials of the state experiment station, is 160 pounds of butter fat worth \$48. These figures mean that while there are good cows which are returning a profit, there are also very many very poor ones which are being maintained at an absolute loss.

Try growing calla lilies this way. Place a thick layer of charcoal in the bottom of a box 15 inches square and fill with leaf mold and a little sand. Plant a calla in each corner, and in the center sink a six-inch flower-pot with the drainage hole stuffed with moss, and with a layer of charcoal above the moss. Water carefully till growth is well started, then fill the six-inch pot once a day with water. If the lilies drink so quickly that the pot is empty before night, refill. Wash and shower the leaves weekly.

Winter is the best season for dairying when the handling of the milk and cream is considered. Then there is an abundance of cold water and cold air, both of which are very necessary in the keeping of dairy products. After the snow comes it can be used in the water in which the milk cans are submerged. The milk should be quickly and thoroughly cooled to get the best results with the raising of the cream and the keeping of the dairy products. Many make the mistake of cooling the milk to about 60, when it could just as well be cooled to 40 and below. Immediately after milking, the milk, where not separated, should be cooled to the point where the lactic acid ferments can develop but slowly.

Trim the apple trees early in the spring.

White of egg in the mustard plaster will prevent its blistering the skin.

Keep the seed corn dry. Freezing will not hurt it if it is entirely free from moisture.

Be sure the colts get exercise during the winter. Give them a run outside every nice day.

In raising colts remember that false economy during the first year or two will cost you dearly later.

Getting angry does not help things. It only complicates matters and plunges one into a series of difficulties.

Time to mate up the breeding pens. The rooster ought to be with the flock several weeks before using the eggs for setting.

Air-slaked lime sprinkled around the cracks and crevices of the hen house make it a very uncomfortable lodging house for lice and mites.

No matter what kind of stock a farmer is handling kindness always pays. Even pigs have feelings, and appreciate kind treatment.

Some hens, like some people, will shirk duty when they get a chance. Weed out all the star boarders. Keep the business-like hen and use her to breed from.

The quick-tempered man who loses his head when handling a horse is the man who generally has a horse that gets spells, too. Like owner, like beast to a great extent.

To make the cellar a good cold storage place open at night except during the severest weather, and close it during the day. Keep fruit cool, but do not let it freeze. Sort the apples frequently.

To some farmers ventilation and draught are synonymous terms. One means fresh air for the stock without injury, and the other means fresh air with a drawback of discomfort and colds which is ruinous.

Have an extra rope with a snap on one end hanging up in the rear of the horses' stalls, so that it will not be necessary to untie the rope from the manger every time you want to lead a horse out of the barn.

Here is how some folks keep sweet potatoes through the winter successfully: They wrap each potato separately in newspaper and place in a barrel lined with newspapers until the barrel is full, when it is well covered and kept in a warm, dry room.

The horse is no better than the feet he stands on. For this reason look at the hoofs of the stallion you propose to use. If they are flat and otherwise defective have a care, for the chances are ten to one that the colt you get from him will have the same undesirable qualities.

More than ever do the hens need something in the way of green food. Now that you cannot give them the trimmings from the garden provide clover meal scalded and then cooled before feeding. Also give them a carrot, beet or turnip to pick at. A good way to manage the vegetables is to hang by a string from the ceiling, just high enough so they will have to jump for them.

Various remedies exist for the treatment of scours in calves. One or two raw eggs broken into a calf's mouth have cured such cases. The feeding of dried blood in small quantities, either in the milk or in the corn feed, is a good remedy when the bowels become too loose. The feeding of kafir-corn, either in the chopped heads or meal, is a good grain for feeding while the calves are drinking milk. Kafir-corn has a constipating effect which offsets the laxative tendency of the skim milk.

Water the horse before, not after feeding. There is a popular idea that a warm horse should not be allowed to drink, and, unlike a great many other popular ideas, there is a little truth in it. If you water a warm horse in the ordinary way, letting him drink all that he will, you are likely to have a foundered horse on your hands. This is especially so if, at the time, the horse is fatigued. Nevertheless, it is always safe to allow him from six to ten swallows, no matter how warm he is. If this be given on going into the stable and he be allowed to stand and eat hay for an hour, and is then offered water, he will not drink nearly so much as he would had none been given before.

It the matter of feeding hay to horses observe the following suggestions if you would feed economically: Either heavy or light horses that are doing regular, steady work should not, if one wishes to feed economically, have more than one pound of hay per hundred pounds of live weight. That is, a thousand-pound horse should receive ten pounds of hay a day, and a 1,500-pound horse that is doing steady work should have about four pounds of hay with his morning feed, the same amount at noon, and about double the amount at night. Many horses will eat 30 or 40 pounds of hay a day if they have free access to it. If a horse is allowed to eat such quantities, half of it is wasted, and if he is leaving that amount of hay, it is worse than wasted, for it does the horse an injury.

## DIRECTORY.

### Kentucky.

According to the last census Kentucky has a population of 2,147,174. The area is 40,400 square miles; 400 of which is water. The streams within the State, as a rule head in the Southeast and flow in a Northwesterly direction; this fact retarded the construction of railroads and the development of our resources for many years.

The early railroads were built from the East and went over the more level territories North of the Ohio River and South of the Cumberland Mountains. In those days there was only a limited demand for coal and lumber. Now that the demand has increased. It would seem that a kind providence has held in reserve our almost inexhaustible utilities until a time when they are most needed by the country. Our supply of timber is limited, but there is enough to last for many years to come.

We have a coal area of over fifteen thousand square miles. Other minerals await development.

Natural gas and oil, in paying quantities are being developed in many localities.

There are no more bad people in Kentucky than in other States in proportion to population. Good people regardless of politics or religion, are always welcome.

### Clark County.

Land acres, 158,176. Value of real and personal property including franchises, \$12,004,870.

Tax rate for all county purposes, 50 cents, on the hundred dollars.

The foothills of the mountains are on the Eastern border of the county, the Kentucky River on the South, forms the county line for a distance of twenty-five miles. Ford on the river, South of Winchester, has extensive lumber mills.

Three railroads go entirely across the county—Chesapeake & Ohio, Louisville & Nashville and Lexington & Eastern.

Blue Grass is a natural product. Uncultivated land will set itself in blue grass. Crops of timothy and clover can be raised with profit. Corn, wheat, rye and oats are the grain crops. Tobacco is raised in large quantities.

All fruits that are adapted to the climate can be raised with profit.

The census of 1900 gave the population at 16,694.

### Circuit Court.

First Monday in April, second Monday September, first Monday in December, J. M. Benton, Judge; B. A. Crutcher, Attorney.

### County Court.

Fourth Monday in each month. Quarterly Court. Third Tuesday in each month.

### County Officers.

J. H. Evans, Judge.  
S. A. Jeffries, Attorney.  
Howard Hampton, Sheriff.  
Lee Evans, Deputy.  
John Bedford, Deputy.  
J. A. Boone, County Clerk.  
Sam Powell, Deputy Clerk.  
W. T. Fox, Circuit Clerk.  
Roger Quisenberry, Assessor.  
C. A. Tanner, School Superintendent.  
W. R. Sphar, Treasurer.  
George Hart, Jailor.  
I. Brinegar, Coroner.

### Justices of the Peace.

First district, J. C. Richards.  
Second district, J. Scott Renick.  
Third district, Eli Dooley.  
Fourth district, J. E. Ramsey.  
Fifth district, Robert True.  
Sixth district, F. F. Goodpaster.  
Seventh district, E. E. Wills.

### Winchester.

County seat, area, a circle one and a half miles in diameter. Population census 1900, 5,964. The city has over-lapped the corporate limits and now has a population of near ten thousand. It is located on the dividing ridge between the Kentucky and Licking Rivers, has water works, electric street cars and lights. Unlimited natural gas. Splendid Graded Schools and numerous churches.

The Kentucky Wesleyan College is located at Winchester. The fire department is one of the best in the State.

The assessed valuation of all property, including franchises, \$4,692,499. The tax rate on the hundred dollars is sixty cents for city and fifty cents for schools.

The C. & O., L. & N., and L. & E. railroads center at Winchester the geographical location and shipping facilities make the city a desirable location for factories. New concerns are given five years exemption from taxation. The Commercial Club will take pleasure in giving information.

### City Officers.

J. A. Hughes, Mayor.  
S. B. Tracy, Clerk.  
F. H. Haggard, Attorney.  
F. P. Pendleton, Judge.  
Riland D. Ramsey, Collector.  
J. S. Reese, Assessor.

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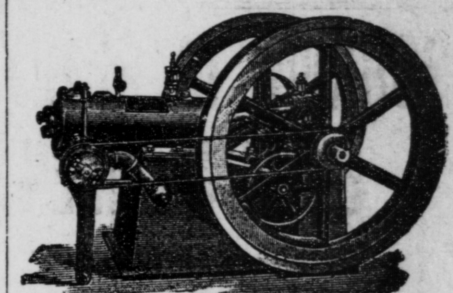
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## ROBS GUNS OF NOISE

INVENTOR GIVES TEST OF "SILENCER" IN NEW YORK.

Device of Hiram P. Maxim Slows Down Escaping Gases Prior to Atmospheric Impact—Fits on Muzzle of Rifle.

New York.—A merry party opening many bottles of champagne was what Hiram Percy Maxim's demonstration of his new gun silencer sounded like the other afternoon at the Potter building in Park row.

Now and again, however, there came a report several degrees louder than the puffy pops, and the audience understood Maxim was just showing the difference between the old and the new way.

But for the most part it was just that little puff-popping, and Maxim said most of the noise came from the impact of the bullets against the sand in the target.

It was the first public demonstration which the inventor has given of the silent gun, which, with smokeless powder, leaves the marksman audible as well as invisible. He held it in the offices of his attorneys, and in the next room a typewriter kept pounding keys just in line with the course of the bullets. But Maxim's target did not let any of them pass.

The guns which he used ranged all the way from the little .22 repeating rifle to the new .30 army weapons, and took in the high power Mausers and Mannlichers.

The silencer is a little black tube which screws on at the muzzle of the gun and has about twice the diameter of the barrel. The size and weight very according to the caliber and power of the arm. For a .22 caliber rifle the tube is about four inches long and less than an inch and a half in diameter. For a .30 rifle the silencer is two inches longer, but has the same diameter. The weight is from six to nine ounces.

First Maxim snapped his little repeating rifle at the target without the tube on the end. The noise wasn't pleasant to hear. Then he put on a silencer. The listener heard the hammer come hard against the cartridge, he saw a little puff, and that was all. Maxim tried short and long rifle cartridges, and the noise was not appreciably different.

Then he worked up to high power guns. He let a .30 rifle go without the little black tube on the end, and after that everybody held his ears when time came for a shot without the silencer. With it in place, the noise was just the same as a champagne bottle popping.

Finally he picked up a United States army rifle, which he described as the best in the world. The bullet has an initial velocity of about 2,700 feet a second, and when one hears it started on its course under normal conditions the impact upon the eardrum is severe. Yet with that little black tube in place the sound is scarcely audible.

The theory upon which the silencer works Maxim described as being identical with that of the negative turbine. The gunpowder gases, as soon as they enter the silencer from the barrel of the gun, meet the spiral chambers in the interior of the tube and are set to whirling. The tendency of whirling bodies is to fly out from the center, and inasmuch as the only means of exit from the silencer is near the center the gases are unable to escape until they have slowed down.

## UNCLE SAM WANTS 3,000 GOATS.

Back-Alley Animals Sought to Clear California Forests.

Washington.—"Wanted.—By the United States government, 3,000 Angora goats, able to eat anything from a red shirt or a circus poster to the bushy chaparral of the national forest; back-alley goats of Jersey City, Hoboken and Harlem especially desired."

This is the advertisement which may be looked for in the next few days, when the government has completed a scheme now being formed of herding out 3,000 Angora goats on the bush-covered foothills of California to eat away the bushy growth and thereby protect the forests.

The goats will be properly scattered over an area and then guided so as to eat away lanes in the forests.

The idea was made public by the bureau of forestry in a report showing the advantages of the plan.

## Governor Saws Own Firewood.

Jefferson City, Mo.—Gov. Hadley of Missouri saw his own firewood in the cellar of the executive mansion.

"It is one of the best forms of exercise that I know of," declares the governor, "and I have been doing it at the mansion these disagreeable mornings when the weather prevents my daily horseback ride or long walk."

Sawing wood has been the governor's exercise for years. Before occupying the executive mansion he cut the wood used in his residence.

## Sixty Skeletons Under Hut.

North Sydney, N. S.—A discovery of 60 human skeletons buried beneath the hut of a fisherman at Anseallumets, on the island of Thierre, has startled and mystified the people of that little French fishing colony, according to advices received here from St. Pierre, Miquelon. A suggestion advanced as the possible solution of the mystery is that the skeletons are those of the passengers and crew of the ill-fated packet ship *Clarisse*, which foundered near that point in 1846.

## TRAPS FOR UNWARY

ADVERTISING TRICKS OF MAIL-ORDER HOUSES.

## GOODS PRICED BELOW COST

Articles of Standard Value Frequently Sold at Cost to Create False Impression of Cheapness—Un-thinking People Victims.

The theory upon which a great number of mail order concerns proceed is to select a certain number of articles, those of standard values and well-known, and mark them down to wholesale prices or lower. This is for the purpose of "baiting," as well as to give the impression that regular dealers are selling goods at prices too high. On many widely advertised goods which are in constant demand the mail order house advertises prices much lower than the actual cost of the goods to the house. This is done with a view of catching customers, killing off the trade of local dealers, and with hopes of selling other goods at enormous profits. Then the advertising part of the deal is of some value.

People like to buy goods at the lowest possible cost. They get impressions of low prices from comparison of goods of which they know the selling price. If a certain rifle is always sold in the gunstores at \$14 and the catalogue house sells the same at \$11, the average man realizes that he is getting a bargain, even though the concern may lose a half dollar in the transaction. But the man is also impressed with the idea that prices are just as low on other goods of which he has little information as to values. It is knowing this fact that causes the mail-order houses to resort to this trick. Then there is difference in quality of goods. In the different lines there are different grades. It is not long ago that a United States district court grand jury returned an indictment against a large mail-order house on three different charges of fraud. In each case there was misrepresentation. One of the charges was that "pure white lead" paint, supposed to be manufactured by the concern, did not contain a trace of white lead, and was manufactured by contract by another concern. The other charge was that jewelry was misrepresented. In the matter of jewelry there is great chance for fraud. That which is called solid gold may be not over one-tenth gold, a little better than brass. Gold always has a certain value. Whether it is in jewelry or in a coin of the realm, the value is just the same. Its purity and weight is what counts. It is curious how intelligent people who know of the fixed value of gold will take the word of a mail-order schemer as to quality, when the article is sold at a less price than the metal which it is claimed is represented in it can be bought for in the markets.

Low prices are generally quoted upon goods which the average people understand, and are acquainted with, and the loss is made up on the classes of goods which allow the practice of deception, of the value of which the people little know. People who patronize mail-order concerns should understand that in the majority of cases they are paying more than they would be compelled to pay if they made their purchases at home. Then there is involved the principle of sending money away from the neighborhood where it is earned.

If the people who patronize mail-order houses would only buy such goods as they know are priced below cost to the concern, the mail-order houses could not continue in business a year. But these concerns know that Mr. Barnum was about right when he said that the "American people like to be humbugged." They transact their business accordingly. The home merchant must go ahead on a different basis. He depends upon his reputation for square dealing. He knows that he must be honest, whether he is inclined to be or not, or that he will soon be compelled to get out of business for lack of patronage. The mail-order concerns look for a new crop of "suckers" every year, and they find more or less of a crop.

**Economy in Home Trade.**  
In an address made some years ago before congress the late Thomas B. Reed said: "Which is it better for the farmer to do—send his supplies a thousand miles to the seacoast, 3,000 miles across the water and sell it to the mechanic who gets less wages, or sell it right here at home to the mechanic who gets more wages?" Reed's logic is sound, but he might have gone a little further, and shown the farmer how important it is to have the home market right at his door; how by the building up of the commercial and manufacturing importance of his home town, he widens the market for his products, and that the livelier and better the home place can be made, the better will be the prices he will receive for his products.

## Demand Home-Made Goods.

One western state that is giving a wholesome example to other states in the matter of patronage of home industries is Colorado. A movement has been well started for a campaign in behalf of Colorado manufactured goods. Even the big department stores in Denver, Pueblo and other cities of the state advertise Colorado made goods, and extol their merits. Colorado people are becoming such advocates of home trade as to ask for articles manufactured in their state, and refuse to take substitutes manufactured elsewhere.

## WASHINGTON SOCIETY LEADER



Photograph by Luedinnet, Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Byrd McGuire, wife of Representative McGuire, of Oklahoma, has made the social leaders of Washington look to their laurels. Her husband is very rich and Mrs. McGuire is not only highly cultured, but possesses the greatest ability for social leadership. She is noted for her handsome gowns and charming manner.

## FEW GRAVES FOUND

WAR DEPARTMENT UNSUCCESSFUL IN LOCATING HEROES.

Those Who Died in Battle of New Orleans Now Lost Forever to Country for Which They Fought.

New Orleans, La.—Although diligent search is being made here, under the direction of the war department, for the graves of soldiers who, under Gen. Andrew Jackson, won the great battle of New Orleans, little success has crowned the effort.

The records of the department show that in the fights of December 23 and 28, 1814, and January 1 and 6, 1815, there were 55 killed, 185 wounded and 93 missing on the American side. Many of the dead are supposed to be in the National cemetery at Chalmette, where a monument marks the site of the famous victory, but the names of the dead are for the most part unknown, and the search has not revealed the identity of any buried there.

Across the river from the cemetery have been found 12 graves. They lie near a clump of pecan trees, about 200 feet from the levee and about 200 feet from the old fortifications. Tradition says that the men belonged to the Fifty-fourth infantry and that the bodies were taken across the river and buried there by marines. The graves have no headstones.

In Old St. Louis cemetery, No. 1, are three graves situated near the rear wall. They bear inscriptions indicating that Oliver Parmlee of New England, Asabel Brunson of Halifax county, N. C.; and William P. Canby, midshipman in the United States navy, all of whom fell in the battle of New Orleans, are buried there.

Three of the soldiers are said to have been taken to Opelousas, La., and buried in the Catholic cemetery there, but no record of their interment has been found by the department.

In St. Louis cemetery, No. 2, is the grave of Dominique You, one of the pirate Lafitte's men, who took part in the battle. In the same cemetery is the grave of Ursin Frederic, also a victim of the English.

These few graves are all that have been located of the 55 that should contain the known dead. Where others are seems likely to remain as much of a mystery to the war department as it has to the local historians for two or three generations.

## WILLS PROPERTY TO FRIENDS.

As Result Whole City Rushes to Get Tokens.

New Bedford, Mass.—Everybody in New Bedford who knew Mrs. Laura F. Rogers, a wealthy octogenarian, who died a few weeks ago—and that includes almost everybody in town—is running around mad, trying to get hold of some piece of personal property belonging to the Rogers estate.

Mrs. Rogers died leaving property valued at \$100,000, much of which was personal. She left a will which has just been made public. In it was the strangest clause ever inserted in a New England testament. It reads: "To all my friends I give and bequeath any piece of my personal property they may wish as a token."

No list of friends was included, so about everybody in New Bedford who had even a speaking acquaintance with her is claiming to be a friend. The will likely will be taken to the courts.

## RAILROAD HEAD AS MAIL CLERK.

President of Michigan Central Still Draws Salary from Government.

Washington.—The surprising information that Henry B. Ledyard, president of the Michigan Central railway, for 23 years has been carried upon the rolls of the post office department as mail messenger at a salary of \$1,000 per year, was divulged to the house of representatives the other day by Representative Murdock of Kansas.

It appears that the Michigan Central railroad many years ago applied to both Canada and the United States for reimbursement for carrying the mails over a stretch of railroad across the Niagara river, which stretch consists of the expensive bridge which the railroad maintains there and over which it had not been able to collect mail-carrying charges from either country, owing to the fact that it was practically the boundary line between the United States and Canada.

The United States eventually made an arrangement whereby the president of the road was appointed mail messenger and the road was by this means given money sufficient to recompense it for the continual carrying of the United States mails between the edge of the Niagara river and its center, which is the literal boundary line.

The mail contracts, according to law, could provide for the transportation of mail only to the bank of the river. It is asserted that President Ledyard is still drawing his mail clerk's salary.

## MAN HAS MYSTERIOUS POWER.

Aged Prisoner's Freak Tricks Secure Him His Freedom.

Tacoma, Wash.—One of the freakiest men ever brought into the police station here is P. Arnold, a cook, 64 years old, who does tricks that have mystified the police. Arnold laid a policeman's club across the palm of his open hand and then asked several of the officers by turns to remove it. It required one of the strongest men of the force to move the club, and then he could only get it a fraction of an inch from the man's hand. The same trick was performed with a billiard cue, which also was laid in Arnold's open palm. The cue was finally broken by one of the men, leaving the butt lying loosely across Arnold's palm. The man also makes lead pencils do peculiar things, and claims to be able to find articles hidden. When he rubs his hands together for the fraction of a minute both the members become so hot that they will raise a blister, he claims, by laying them on the flesh. He tried to give ocular demonstration of his power on Chief Detective Fitzgerald, but the officer dodged and moved near the door. Arnold was arrested for disorderly conduct, but when the police found out his peculiarities they turned him loose.

## Remembered Cinderella.

York, Pa.—If Mayor Weaver had not remembered the story of Cinderella and the silver slipper Harry Smith of Williamsport might have bunked him and the police into giving him the price of a pair of shoes. Smith had been arrested for drunkenness and disorderly conduct, and came into police court in his stocking feet. He told the mayor somebody had stolen his new shoes while he slept. An officer found a pair of worn-out ones in an adjoining cell, and when Smith indignantly denied their ownership and demanded money for new ones the mayor ordered them tried on him, and they fitted perfectly. Smith had stuffed them through a crack into the cell in which they were found. He was sent to jail for 30 days.



## PRIZE AND PREMIUM FAKES.

Bait Held Out to Catch the Trade of the Unsophisticated.

Prize and premium offering are methods that are resorted to by some concerns that seek to do business through the mails with people residing in agricultural districts. The wise people will never be caught on this game. All classes and kinds of goods have a real value, and are worth so much in the markets of the world. The farmer who has 1,000 bushels of wheat to sell knows that his goods have a fixed value dependent upon the market prices. It would be foolish for him to offer to the buyer as an inducement a few head of cattle, a barrel of cider or a slab of bacon in order to induce him to buy. Yet these very farmers will bite at a proposition which is identically the same in principle. The manufacturer of soap offers ten dollars' worth of soap and to the buyers give a piece of furniture of the value of ten dollars. Is this a fair business deal? Can the manufacturer afford to do it if his goods are standard? He may say that by selling direct "to the consumer, and cutting out middlemen's profits," he can afford to do so. But this is a lie, a flimsy excuse, and is not in accordance with sound business principles. There must be a profit for the manufacturer or he will fail. He does make a profit. He even makes a larger profit than the average dealer in goods of his kind. In the first place he sells the cheapest kind of article, even though it may look nice and be highly perfumed. In the second place he gives light weight and gets the highest price. The value of the premium given is always misrepresented, exaggerated, and that which is supposed to be worth ten dollars is not worth four dollars, and for the latter amount can be purchased from any respectable dealer. The premium is never free. It must be paid for and it is the one who receives it that generally pays for it. Mrs. Jones would wonder if Grocer Brown would ask that she give half a pound of feathers with every dozen eggs he buys of her. Mrs. Jones has too much common sense to think that she can afford to give away a pound of butter with each dozen eggs. She knows she would be loser. But if she could induce the grocer to pay her 40 cents a dozen for her eggs when the market price is only 20 cents, she might see how it would be profitable to her to throw in as a premium a pound of over-ripe butter. Still Mrs. Jones will join soap clubs, coffee clubs, and fakes in the premium line of every kind, just because she does not stop to do a little sound thinking.

## Local Dealer Sometimes to Blame.

Thousands of dollars go out of Jefferson county each year in connection with the mail order business, to the loss of the local dealers and manufacturers. It does not help very much to appeal on the ground of patriotism to those people who buy of outside dealers, as purchasers go where they think they can find the best bargains. Every one must recognize the fact that the local dealer cannot prosper without local trade, but there are a lot of people who fail to govern themselves accordingly. Orders for goods are sent to Syracuse or New York or Chicago which could have been as cheaply bought in Watertown, but this is frequently the local dealer's fault. The great success of the big mail order houses has been built up almost wholly by advertising. Fortunes are spent in letting the people of the country know what they have to sell. Liberal space in the newspapers and magazines is used to exploit the mail order business in addition to the catalogues issued. These are the avenues through which the houses draw a large part of their business.

Is there not a lesson here for the local dealer? Cannot he hold some of the business which goes to the outside mail order houses by judicious use of the columns of the local newspapers? The Watertown newspapers have a large circulation through the towns and rural districts of northern New York. The Standard believes the local merchants and manufacturers could divert much of this trade to themselves if they took the proper methods. The Standard's interests are wholly with the local dealer and these suggestions are made with the firm conviction that he has a remedy for his loss of trade in local advertising.—Watertown (N. Y.) Standard.

## Abuse.

Of satires I think as Epictetus did: "If evil be said of thee, and if it be true, correct thyself; if it be a lie, laugh at it." By dint of time and experience I have learned to be a good post-horse; I go through my appointed daily stage, and I care not for the curs who bark at me along the road.—Fredrick the Great.

## Always the Shortest.

Edgeworth: A straight line is the shortest in morals as in mathematics.

TRY A NEWS' WANT ADVERTISEMENT.

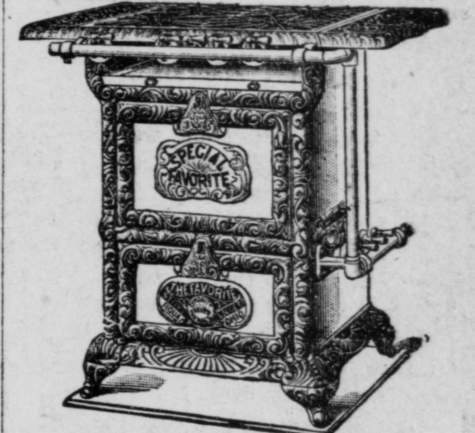
## BRICK OF ALL GRADES AND KINDS,

and in any quantity, delivered as you want it. Builders will find it to their interest to get our figures before making estimates and bids, because they will be sure to get bottom prices; and when we say bottom prices we mean prices that are as low as you can get anywhere else.

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## Bush has them. GAS HEATERS —AND— RANGES. FAVORITE STOVES.



BEST in the World. BUSH on the Corner.

## COUNTY COURT DAYS.

Below is a list of the days County Courts are held each month in counties tributary to Winchester:

Anderson, Lawrenceburg, 3rd Monday.  
Bath, Owingsville, 2nd Monday.  
Bourbon, Paris, 1st Monday.  
Boyle, Danville, 3rd Monday.  
Breathitt, Jackson, 4th Monday.  
CLARK, WINCHESTER, 4th Monday.  
Estill, Irvine, 3rd Monday.  
Fayette, Lexington, 2nd Monday.  
Fleming, Flemingsburg, 4th Monday.  
Franklin, Frankfort, 1st Monday.  
Garrard, Lancaster, 4th Monday.  
Grant, Williamstown, 2nd Monday.  
Harrison, Cynthiana, 4th Monday.  
Jessamine, Nicholasville, 3rd Monday.  
Lee, Beattyville, 4th Monday.  
Lincoln, Stanford, 2nd Monday.  
Madison, Richmond, 1st Monday.  
Mason, Maysville, 2nd Monday.  
Mercer, Harrodsburg, 1st Monday.  
Montgomery, Mt. Sterling, 3rd Monday.  
Nicholas, Carlisle, 2nd Monday.  
Owen, Owenton, 4th Monday.  
Pendleton, Falmouth, 1st Monday.  
Powell, Stanton, 1st Monday.  
Scott, Georgetown, 3rd Monday.  
Shelby, Shelbyville, 2nd Monday.  
Woodford, Versailles, 4th Monday.

**Work That Wins.**  
He who would succeed in any undertaking must first understand that intelligently directed work is the only kind that wins. He who starts out to accomplish things for his home town cannot blunder along unless he endangers that which he sets out to do. Commercial clubs too often fail in accomplishing good because of a lack of system in the efforts made. There is an old saying: "Too many cooks spoil the broth." This axiom is exemplified frequently by the organization which attempts to carry out great projects without the proper system for doing the same. Work must be rightly pursued or it comes to naught. Each worker should have his particular part to perform, and for this part he should be selected with a view as to his fitness. Concerted effort rightly made always wins.

**Would Benefit Mail Order Houses.**  
A parcels post threatens the continuance of the country store's business by enlarging the opportunity of the mail order houses. Who will spring to the defense of the cracker barrel and box of sawdust—together with the little red schoolhouse, joint palladium of our liberties?—Providence (R. I.) Bulletin.

**Work with a Will.**  
We are not sent into this world to do anything into which we cannot put our hearts. We have certain work to do for our bread and that is to be done strenuously; other work to do for our delight and that is to be done heartily; neither is to be done by halves or shifts, but with a will; and what is not worth this effort is not to be done at all.—John Ruskin.

**Old Heads on Young Shoulders.**  
Our children are growing more independent. It is not the fault of the parents nor of the children; we are not careless, and they are not ungrateful. The conditions of life are responsible for the modern "youth."—Familien Zeitung, Vienna.

**Almost Hopeless.**  
It is pretty hard for any man to be a hero to his sweetheart's brother.



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An Independent Newspaper

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act of March 3, 1879."

## SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

Carrier Delivery.

Daily, one year. . . . . \$5.20  
One week. . . . . .10  
Payable at office or to collector  
every week.

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One year. . . . . \$3.00  
Six months. . . . . 1.50  
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Payable in advance.

## ADVERTISING RATES.

Display—Per Inch.

One time, any edition. . . . . \$ .25  
Three times, within one week. . . . . .50  
One week, continuously. . . . . 1.00  
One calendar month. . . . . 3.00  
Four weeks, four times a week. . . . . 2.40  
Four weeks, three times a week. . . . . 1.80  
Four weeks, two times a week. . . . . 1.20  
Four weeks, one time a week. . . . . .75  
Time discounts—3 months, 10 per  
cent; 6 months, 25 per cent; one  
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Business notices, body type. . . . . 7 1/2c  
Pure reading, news headings. . . . . 15c

New Phone No. 91.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1909.

## NOVEL USE OF TELEPHONE.

The use of the telephone for commercial and social purposes is well understood in this country, and if reports be true, it is highly valued in many rural communities as a disseminator of neighborhood news over party lines. But some European cities are making use of it in a way unknown, as yet, in this country. Our consul-general at Buda-Pesth describes this novel application of the instrument. Buda-Pesth is one of the finest cities in Europe, with a population of more than 700,000. Our consul writes:

The news-telephone system, which has been in successful operation in this city for several years past, is owned and managed by a private corporation, whereas the regular telephone system is owned by the government and administered by the Ministry of Posts and Telegraphs. The annual subscription, \$7.31, paid quarterly in advance, entitles the subscriber to two receivers and the full service of news, music, etc., the subscriber to pay the expenses of installation and removal, generally about \$8.50. The service begins at 8:55 a. m., when a buzzing noise, loud enough to be heard across a large room and lasting for fifteen seconds, announces the correct time. At 9:30 the day's program of important events is announced; that is to say, the ceremonies, lectures, plays, races, etc. At 10 and 11 o'clock stock quotations and general news items are given.

At noon comes a second announcement of the correct time, followed by parliament news and general items of interest. At 12:45 stock quotations from the local, Vienna and Berlin exchanges and general news. At 2 o'clock more parliamentary and general news, and at 3 p. m. the closing prices of stocks, meteorological forecast, local personals and small items, and in winter the condition of the various skating places. At 4 p. m. court and miscellaneous news. From 4:30 to 6:30 military music from one of the great cafes or gardens. In the evening the subscriber may choose between the royal opera or one of the theaters, and later music by one of the tzigane orchestras.

This program seems to be sufficiently varied to satisfy the desires of all classes and our consul writes that the service gives the utmost satisfaction. The system has some obvious advantages, but also some drawbacks. As an attempt to supplant the daily newspaper it is ingenious and in furnishing music it outstrips the most ambitious attempts of journalism. But its failure to furnish any substitute for the

advertising columns of the newspaper ignores a prominent and characteristic feature of American life and leaves the lady of the house without any information as to bargain counters or assistance in her shopping excursions. This material omission can not be made good, even by classical music. The delivery of parliamentary news and stock quotations "while you wait" may tend to keep parterfamilias at home, but other features of club and downtown life are left unprovided for. To make it complete the system should fill "short orders" and provide bellboys. We doubt if it will ever flourish in America.

## ATHENS.

Mr. Frank King was confined to his room the past week with a gripe. Miss Ethel Porter, of Winchester, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. J. Gibson.

Mrs. Bettie Barnes has returned to her home in Versailles after several weeks' visit to relatives here.

Robt. Moores who has been quite ill for several weeks is now convalescent.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morton, of Ford, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William English.

Miss Goldie Welch, of Georgetown, has been visiting relatives here for the last week.

Dr. J. J. Gibson returned home from Virginia Monday where he had been to attend the funeral of his grandfather.

At J. H. Farney's public sale last Friday, cows sold from \$35 to \$75 and mules brought from \$100 to \$150.

## PRETTY RUN.

Mr. and Mrs. Rome Martin gave an oyster supper Thursday night in honor of Mr. Joe Sullivan and family. Among those present were Misses Benlah and Lilla Erma Sullivan, Bessie and Bertha Ball, Carrie Curtis and Messrs. Charley French, Haydon Johnson, Emory Ball, Clifford Curtis, Vance Howard, Linville and Asa Martin.

After supper was served James Ware played until a late hour. All report a good time.

The Chinaman's Long Suit.

The Chinaman should never consent to blossom out as a fighting man. His long suit is peace, the truck garden and the non-combative bag. — Los Angeles Times.

## MOVED HIS SHOP.

Tom Cowan, the popular barber who was burned out in the Cour View Hotel fire, would like to have his customers and old friends patronize him in his new shop in the Simpson and Hathaway building.

## MOVING PICTURES.

Moving pictures. 3000 feet moving pictures at opera house Saturday night. All new pictures. Price 10 cents. 2-18-3t.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Mayor.

We are authorized to announce  
**J. A. HUGHES,**  
as a candidate for Mayor, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce  
**H. T. STROTHER**  
as a candidate for Mayor of Winchester, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce  
**W. O. HOSKINS,**  
as a candidate for Mayor, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

For City Judge.

We are authorized to announce  
**JUDGE F. P. PENDLETON,**  
as a candidate for City Judge, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

For Chief of Police.

We are authorized to announce  
**WOODSON M'CORD,**  
as a candidate for Chief of Police, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

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**J. W. RUPARD**  
as a candidate for Chief of Police, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

City Collector.

We are authorized to announce  
**HARRY W. SCRIVENER,**  
as a candidate for City Collector of Winchester, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

## LAWYERS GET CABINET PLUMS

Taft Picks Five as Official Advisers.

## TREASURY IS UNDECIDED

President-elect is Said to Realize That Great Difficulties Must Be Overcome If Constitutional Restrictions Are to Be Thrown Around Corporations and Business Task Will Require Best Legal Talent He Can Secure—Dickinson's Career.

Philadelphia, Feb. 22. — President-elect Taft arrived here from Cincinnati, and with Mrs. Taft, who came over before from New York to join him, is the guest of Dr. S. Weir Mitchell.

A conference took place between the president-elect and Frank H. Hitchcock, who came here at the request of Mr. Taft. Frank B. Kellogg was also a visitor.

The report printed that as president he would go to Alaska. Mr. Taft said, had only the foundation that he had received an invitation for such a trip and had replied that he would hold it under consideration. This same answer, he said, likewise applied to invitations to visit Denver and Seattle next summer. He has not yet decided what his traveling itinerary for the year will be except that and will make a trip through the south and southwest as far as Texas.

An address will be delivered by Judge Taft at the Academy of Music here today, under the auspices of the University of Pennsylvania, in celebration of university day. A walking stick used by Benjamin Franklin and



G. VON L. MEYER.  
One of Present Cabinet Ministers Favored by Taft.

by him presented to Lafayette will be a gift to the university by the president-elect. Tonight he will attend the Pennsylvania university alumni dinner. He leaves for New York tomorrow morning.

Mr. Taft admits he is making headway in the selection of a secretary of the treasury, but maintains the place is not yet filled. Franklin MacVeigh and Myron T. Herrick are two of the men under consideration. With this exception the Taft cabinet is complete, and when officially promulgated shortly before his inauguration will be found as follows:

Secretary of State—Philander C. Knox of Pennsylvania.  
Attorney General—George W. Wick-  
ersham of New York.

Secretary of War—J. M. Dickinson of Tennessee.  
Secretary of Commerce and Labor—Charles Nagel of Missouri.  
Secretary of the Navy—George Von L. Meyer of Massachusetts.  
Secretary of the Interior—R. A. Ballinger of Washington.  
Postmaster General—Frank S. Hitchcock of Massachusetts.  
Secretary of Agriculture—James Wilson of Iowa.

It will be observed that in this list are five lawyers, of whom Mr. Taft believes there are none better in the country. It may be stated that this fact is not a mere coincidence, but is an accomplishment which has been carefully planned and striven for by the incoming president, and bears a most important relation to what he believes to be the important work of his administration.

Constitutional legal restrictions on corporate abuses are the accomplishments he will strive for. The extreme difficulties of first framing such measures and then of securing their enforcement have confronted Mr. Taft with great force. To meet them with success he believes will require the combined legal skill of the ablest minds he can bring to the task. In assembling his legal cabinet the president-elect has not lost sight of the necessity of obtaining men whose beliefs on the questions to be dealt with coincide with his own. Mr. Taft's position has been clearly embodied in his inaugural address, and this document is known to have received hearty adoption and complete approval by all of the men selected to be Mr. Taft's cabinet advisers.

With this known careful consideration with regard to the lawyers in his cabinet, it is interesting to know

something of the personality and legal achievements of the latest acquisition, J. M. Dickinson of Tennessee, who accepted the war portfolio at the hands of Mr. Taft in Cincinnati.

Mr. Dickinson will give up the position of general solicitor for the Illinois Central railway system and a salary of \$35,000 a year to become a cabinet minister. He is between 54 and 55 years of age, a native of Mississippi, served three months in the Confederate army as a boy, graduated from the University of Tennessee and finished his education in Germany.

Mr. Dickinson has always been a Democrat, although he is a personal friend of President Roosevelt and refused to vote for Bryan. He was for a time judge of the supreme court of Tennessee, and was appointed by President Cleveland assistant attorney general of the United States, serving under Attorney General Harmon.

Mr. Dickinson was selected by President Roosevelt to present the argument of the United States before the joint high commission which adjusted the Alaskan boundary dispute between this country and Great Britain, and his presentation of this case won for him an international reputation.

The new war secretary became general counsel for the Illinois Central system under the presidency of Stuyvesant Fish, and it is said that in the subsequent controversy between Fish and Harriman he was strongly on the side of Mr. Fish. It is also asserted that his retention by Mr. Harriman was entirely a recognition of his abilities not only as a legal adviser, but as an administrator.

## PRESIDENT'S NEPHEW FALLS TO HIS DEATH

Stewart Douglas Robinson Killed at Harvard University.

Cambridge, Mass., Feb. 22.—Stewart Douglas Robinson, 19, a nephew of President Roosevelt and a sophomore of Harvard college, fell from a six-story window of Hampton hall, a dormitory on Massachusetts avenue, and was killed. He was a son of Douglas Robinson.

Robinson was out with a party of fellow students, and late in the evening he complained of not feeling well and went to the apartments of his brother, Monroe Douglas Robinson, in Hampton hall, instead of going to his own rooms.

It is understood that shortly after his arrival young Robinson stumbled and fell and struck heavily on his forehead, receiving a painful injury. His friends say they put him in his brother's bed and after raising the window a few inches in response to his request for more air, went away, leaving him apparently asleep. That was the last they heard of young Robinson until they were told that his body had been found on the sidewalk.

It is believed that after his friends left him Stewart got out of bed and walked towards the window to open it wider. It is thought that as he leaned out over the sill he became dizzy and, losing his balance, fell out of the window, which is about four feet from the floor, to the pavement six stories below.

## POLICE CAPTAIN KILLED

Receives Shot Through Head After Fatally Wounding Thief.

Olean, N. Y., Feb. 22.—In a hand-to-hand pistol duel with Nelson Deshler of Berlin, Ont., whom he caught in the act of robbing the office of the Drury Lumber company, Police Captain Timothy Hassett was killed by a shot through the head. Deshler was shot four times. He escaped but was captured later in a room at the Olean House, where he registered from Pittsburg. It is thought he will die.

Change of Venue For Curry.

Marion, O., Feb. 22.—Hamilton R. Curry, who is charged with the murder of J. W. Jackson, will be tried at Upper Sandusky April 19. Judge Daniel Babst of the common pleas court decided a motion for a change of venue in favor of Curry. The court granted the change because newspapers have printed practically all of the testimony in the case and because the public is supposed to be bitter against Curry, an Erie detective, who shot Jackson for resisting arrest for stealing coal.

Hang Senator in Effigy.

Upper Sandusky, O., Feb. 22.—Because Senator Corey, the new senator from this district, voted against the Dean option bill, he was hung in effigy. There is no clew as to the perpetrators. The dummy was made especially for the occasion and evidently took much time in the preparation.

Clerk Accused of Embezzlement.

Bellefontaine, O., Feb. 22.—Frank E. Day, former clerk of the board of public service, was arraigned before Judge Brodick and pleaded not guilty to the charge of embezzling city waterworks funds. He gave \$1,000 bond.

Aged Woman Murdered.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 22.—Mrs. Francis Richard, 68, was found murdered in her home here. There were three gashes in the throat and face. Frank Bialk, 22, is locked up charged with the murder.

## REPLIES TO HEMENWAY

President Adds Stirring Chapter to Secret Service Controversy.

Washington, Feb. 22. — President Roosevelt added another stirring chapter to the secret service controversy in a vigorous and lengthy reply to the attacks made on this branch of the government in a report made recently by Senator Hemenway of the senate committee on appropriations. Senator Hemenway in this report, upholding the limitation in the scope of the secret service, asserted that it never had been the intention of congress to build up a "spy" system, and with evident reference to this part of the report the president declared that if the limitation of the use of the secret service had been in force when the sensational land frauds were unearthed a few years ago a senator, a representative and various men of wealth and high political influence, who at that time were convicted, would all have escaped punishment.

Committee Censures President.

Washington, Feb. 22.—By a vote of 3 to 2 the subcommittee of the committee on judiciary, which has been investigating the merger of the Tennessee Coal and Iron company and the United States Steel corporation, decided to report to the full committee that the president was not authorized to permit the absorption.

Blizzard Kills Hundred.

London, Feb. 22.—A dispatch from Odessa to a news bureau here reports that more than 100 lives have been lost in the blizzards in southwestern Russia during the last three days.

## BUCKEYE BOWLERS ON FOREIGN ALLEYS

Cleveland and New York Contest Begins Tonight.

New York, Feb. 22.—The opening games in the match between the bowling champions of New York and Cleveland, O., will be rolled on the Grand Central alleys in Brooklyn tonight, and the popularity of the alley game in New York is showing itself in the interest taken in the match. Jimmy Smith, the New York champion, is to meet Louis Franz, the best bowler of the Ohio city, in a home and home tournament. Thirty games are to be rolled, the first fifteen in Brooklyn tonight and the other fifteen in Cleveland on March 12.

Franz has been champion of Cleveland for three years. He is as good a bowler when working in a team as in singles, as he proved lately when he and Charley Gilbert won an inter-city match rolled against Will Plender and Gus Steele, two of Chicago's best men on the alleys. Cleveland bowlers are enthusiastic about Franz's ability, declaring that he will prove himself the best bowler in America. A number of them have come on here to see him roll against Smith. The latter is generally considered the best bowler in the metropolis. In a recent workout in preparation for tonight's match he rolled an average for nine games of 233, beginning with a 300 score. It is reported that he has done even better. The match is for \$500 a side, in addition to a share of the gate receipts.

Woman Attacked on Street.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 22.—Mrs. Mary Rickmers, 19, of Gates Mills, a small town near here, was attacked by an unknown man while returning home from shopping. As she was passing along a dark path near her home Mrs. Rickmers was struck on the head by a man hiding behind a tree. Dazed, but not quite unconscious, she made a desperate fight and managed to escape. She was pursued by the man, who gave up the chase as she neared her home. Mrs. Rickmers fainted in her doorway and considerable time elapsed before she could tell of the attack, which gave her assailant time to escape. No arrests have been made.

Will Enlarge the Plant.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Feb. 21.—Manager Franz of the Lake Superior corporation, which was recently taken over by English capitalists, issued a statement that the committee would commence at once extensive additions to the open hearth furnaces at the Algoma steel plant in the Canadian Soo. Other improvements are to follow fast, the intention being to make it the greatest steel industry in Canada. It is reported that the company will erect new blast furnaces and a structural steel plant.

Will Fight Powder Trust.

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 22.—Backed by the interests headed by Senator William A. Clark of Montana, a powder manufacturing company, beginning operations with a capital of \$3,000,000, will shortly erect a plant in one of the bay counties and engage in active competition with the powder trust, according to a statement made in this city.

Indictments Invalidated.

Bowling Green, O., Feb. 22.—Francis L. Judd of Cleveland, indicted here by the grand jury for misapplication of bank funds, has been ordered not to appear in the indictment by Judge Henderson of the common pleas court. This decision will invalidate all of the work of the grand jury, as an alien was a member of the grand jury.

## C&O Special Train TO Lexington TO SEE The Merry Widow Friday, Feb. 26

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## CLAY CITY.

Mrs. F. F. Key, of Mayfield, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Crews Rash, at the Clay City Hotel.

Mr. Edwin Bryan, of Winchester and Mr. J. H. Wadkins, of Lexington, were the guests at the Red River Hotel.

Miss Geneva Adams spent a few days in Jackson, the past week with friends.

Mrs. Grace Dickson, of Jackson, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Adams.

Miss Nannie Tracy is visiting friends and relatives in Lexington.

Miss Bertha Maple entertained a few friends last Thursday night week and those that enjoyed the evening were: Misses Mary G. Eaton, Mary and Grace Shimmfessel, Molly and Ada Johnson, Mildred More, Lula May Bowman, Maud Fletcher, Ethel Johnson, Patsy Bush, Messrs. Turner McGuire, Grand Hackworth, Pierce Ruth Taulbee Mounty, Ed. Wilson.

Maurine McLin, of Jackson, was the guest of Ula Shatlock, the first of last week.

Mr. Vanarsdale, of Louisville, Mr. J. P. Jahrons, of Newport, and Mr. W. B. McPherson, of Winchester, were in the city this week.

Mr. Oscar Mackey, S. r., has been quite ill for some time.

Mr. Cliff Eaton was the guest at the Clay City Hotel this week.

Mr. J. C. Fitch, Jr., of Lexington, was visiting here the first of last week.

Mr. Grover Barnett was the guest of his sisters, Mrs. Jessie Allen and Miss Carrie Barnett, Monday.

Mr. W. N. Bush left Saturday for Memphis, Tenn., on a business trip and will be absent from home for some time.

## CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to return our heartfelt thanks to the many friends who so kindly ministered to the wants of our dear mother, Mrs. Effie Hinds, during her illness and at her death.

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# SOCIETY

Seldom has Winchester society enjoyed such a round of gaieties as in the past few weeks. The advent of this week brings the Lenten season, and for many days the gaieties will cease in a measure, at least. Monday will be quite an eventful day in society. It is George Washington's birthday and many beautiful celebrations will be given in memory of the Father of our Country. There will be entertainments at College, colonial teas, a dance, a whist party and a Forty-two and Euchre, all these on one day.

On Shrove Tuesday, the last day before Lent, several pretty affairs will be given, which will end the gaieties until April.

## Two Entertainments.

Mrs. E. E. Kidwell entertained Saturday at the home with a Euchre in the afternoon and a Forty-two party in the evening, in compliment to her guest, Miss Beckman, of Cincinnati.

At each party, the hostess received about fifty guests. The decorations throughout had the suggestions of Washington, and the house was made lovely with vases of roses and carnations, "innumerable flags and bunches of cherries everywhere. The place and tally cards were decorated with tiny hatchets, colonial hats or cherry trees, and each guest received a tiny silk flag with a pin attached as a souvenir of the happy occasion.

Mrs. Kidwell in pink messaline and gold braid, with Miss Dickman, who wore a most becoming gown of pink directoire satin, trimmed in Princess Louise lace, Miss Merrill, gowned in a coral silk with the gold lace trimmings and Mr. Perry received the guests in the library.

The charming hostess was assisted in entertaining in the afternoon by Mrs. Ray Patterson, Mrs. George Proctor, Mrs. Joe Brown and Miss Kate Rash, while Misses Margaret Brown and Bonnie Gibbens, two of our beautiful and charming debutantes, presided in a most graceful manner over the coffee table.

After the guests had played the games, a delicious luncheon was served at the small tables, consisting of chicken salad, beaten biscuits, nut and olive sandwiches, scalloped oysters, cheese croquettes and frozen punch.

Those present in the afternoon were: Mrs. L. Beckner, Mrs. Tot Beckner, Mrs. Franklin, Mrs. Duty, Mrs. Ogden Crutcher, Miss Mary Crutcher, Miss Kate Rash, Miss Anna S. Rash, Miss Margaret Brown, Miss Bonnie Gibbens, Miss Mamie Merrill, of Madison, Ind., Miss Agnes Dickman, of Cincinnati, and Miss Cornell; Mrs. Smith, of Avondale, Cincinnati; Mrs. Dr. Ishmael, Mrs. Chas. Parrish, Mrs. Donovan, Mrs. Strotter, Mrs. Strossman, Mrs. Jenkins, Mrs. B. F. Johnson, Mrs. Joe Brown, Mrs. Geo. Proctor, Mrs. Garner, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Ratliff, Miss Collins, Miss Ormie Hodgkin, Mrs. G. een, Mrs. Hadden, Mrs. Ray Patterson, Mrs. Clelland, Miss Ella Pendleton, Mrs. Gus Brooks, Mrs. Hart Robinson, Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. Sam Jeffries and Mrs. Massie.

Those present in the evening were: Mr. and Mrs. Beatty, Mr. and Mrs. Donovan, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Duty, Mr. and Mrs. Massie, Mr. and Mrs. W. Witherspoon, Mr. and Mrs. McElowney, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jeffries, Mr. and Mrs. Strossman, Mr. and Mrs. Strotter, Dr. and Mrs. Clark, Dr. and Mrs. Crutcher, Dr. and Mrs. Ishmael, Mr. and Mrs. Gibbens, Mr. and Mrs. Parrish, Mr. and Mrs. Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. Green, Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins, Miss Agnes Dickman, of Cincinnati, Miss Mamie Merrill, of Madison, Ind.; Mr. Chas. Perry, of Covington, Miss La Vina Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Patterson, Mr. and Mrs.

Shirley Hadden, Mr. and Mrs. Hon. Mrs. Foster, Mrs. B. F. Johnson, Mrs. Geo. Proctor, Mrs. Grigsby, Miss Grigsby, Mr. and Mr. Clelland, Miss Julia French, Miss Elizabeth French, Mr. and Mrs. Whitcomb, Mrs. Oscar Johnson, Mrs. MacNeill, Dr. and Mrs. Vaught.

Mrs. Carrie Buckner has issued invitations to a "Chocolate Drinking," in compliment to her guests, Mrs. Platt and Mrs. Troy, of Asheville, for Tuesday afternoon, February 23.

Mrs. C. E. Gibbens will give a Euchre party at her home this afternoon. This evening, Miss Gibbens will entertain with a "Forty-two" party.

Mrs. Ida M. Coates charmingly entertained with a six o'clock dinner Sunday in compliment to Miss Goldie Perry, of Winchester, who was the guest of her aunt, Miss Alethea Shiddell, on South Mill street, in Lexington.

## Informal Tea.

Mrs. Strauder Goff gave a "tea" at her home on Maple street, Saturday afternoon. Her guests spent a delightful old fashioned afternoon, chatting over their pretty bits of fancy work. The party was very informal and greatly enjoyed by those fortunate enough to be present. Tea and small cakes were served.

Among those present were: Mr. Carrie Mills, Mrs. Buford Tracy, Mrs. Hampton and Miss Fanny Hampton, Mrs. Philip Winn and Mrs. Rees.

## Bridge Party.

Mrs. William H. Garner and Mrs. Ed Mitchell are entertaining with a Bridge Party this afternoon, in honor of Mrs. Troy, of Memphis, Tenn., Mrs. Platt, of Asheville, N. C., and Mrs. Harry Smith, of Cincinnati.

## McChord-Hurt.

An engagement which will be of great interest to many here was announced in the Courier-Journal, Sunday:

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred H. McChord announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Laura Harlan McChord to Mr. William Fairleigh Hurt, of Owensboro.

The wedding will take place in the early Spring at the home of the bride, in Lebanon.

Miss McChord lived here for several years, where her father was a partner with Allen and Murphy's Clothing Store.

Miss McChord made many friends here and this announcement will be of the greatest interest. Miss Kate Rash will be one of the Maids.

Mr. Hurt is the cashier in an Owensboro bank, and is quite popular.

## Little Colonel Readers.

The Little Colonel Readers had a most delightful meeting with Miss Ada Lee Boone, Saturday afternoon. At the conclusion of the afternoon's program, a delicious lunch was served.

Those present were Misses Frances Pendleton, Julia Gaitskill, Myrtle Spencer, Emma Thomson, Louise Haggard, Helen Ford and Ida Walden.

## Literary and Social Club.

Miss Richie Lane, in her attractive way, entertained the Literary and Social Club, on Saturday, at her home on Boone avenue.

The house was quite attractive in its decorations of potted plants and narcissus. There was a most interesting program.

Miss Lucy Stewart read a most in-

teresting and highly entertaining paper on "the Life of Wadsworth." Miss Alice Porter rendered a most beautiful piano solo.

Misses Emma Lee Taylor and Owen Porter had a heated discussion about "Indiscriminate Charity." At the conclusion of this program a very refreshing meat course was served.

Miss Lane's guests for the afternoon were: Mrs. William P. French, Misses Anna Mae Hisle, Margaret Sphar, Florrie Smith, Sara Beverly Jonett, Sara Goodloe Benton, Illa and Lucy Stewart, Anne Dudley, Winnie Garrett, Margaret McKinley, Alice and Owen Porter, Clay Croxton and Emma Lee Taylor.

The Fortnightly Literary Club meets with Mrs. J. C. Vaught this afternoon.

Miss Bonnie Gibbens will be hostess at a tea Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Jenkins will have their twentieth wedding anniversary on Saturday evening.

## Mrs. Taft and Mrs. Fairbanks.

A special from Washington says: Mrs. Taft, who arrived in Washington this morning, will make only a brief visit en route for New York. She will return here February 27, to join the President-elect, and, with their three children, Robert T. Taft, Miss Taft, and Charlie Taft, will be Miss Boardman's guests until March 3. As already announced, Mr. and Mrs. Taft have accepted the invitation of President and Mrs. Roosevelt to pass the night of March 3 at the White House.

Vice President and Mrs. Fairbanks are contemplating a trip around the world soon after the adjournment of Congress.

They probably will take a steamer at San Francisco, visiting Hawaii and the Philippine Islands, then China and Japan, and returning by way of Europe. The time of their return is not definitely fixed.

## Elected to Colonial Dames.

A telegram from Winsted, Conn., announces that Mrs. W. H. Taft has been elected to membership in the Connecticut Society of Colonial Dames of America. Mrs. Taft is a descendant of Thomas Welles, who was Governor of Connecticut from 1655 to 1658. Mrs. Taft is a member of the Ohio Society of Colonial Dames, of which Mrs. William D. Warren (nee Dandridge) is president. To become a member of this very exclusive society one must be received by one's ancestral State as well as by the State in which the applicant lives.

This explains why Mrs. Taft is credited to Connecticut. But Ohio claims her for its very own—Cincinnati Enquirer.

## The Cooking Club.

The Cooking Club met with Miss Iva Gaines Allen on Saturday afternoon at her home on North Maple street. Games were indulged in until the little ladies were rather worn out and hungry when Mrs. Allen had arranged the things each of the girls had brought on plates and they were served in that manner. The afternoon was delightfully spent and the little girls can hardly wait from one meeting to another.

Miss Allen's guests for the afternoon were: Misses Marie and Gertrude Bloomfield, Virginia Baldwin, Mary Frances Ogden, Dorothy Porter, Elizabeth Stewart, Kathleen Earp Mayne Scriver, Catherine Hughes, Rosalind Stevenson, Frances Combs Scott, Elizabeth Beckner.

## PERSONALS.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Talbott, of North Middletown, were guests here Monday.

Miss Amanda Thompson, of Mt. Sterling, and Miss Lucile Belle, of Nicholasville, come Monday to be the attractive guests of Miss Anna Stoner Rash for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Walden returned home this morning after a pleasant visit with her sister, Mrs. Naney Maupin, of Ford, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Tandy Chenault, of Mt. Sterling, are guests of Mrs. Jack McCord.

Miss Julia Graves has returned home from an extended visit through Texas and Mexico.

Miss Mary J. Stevenson, who has been in Zanesville, Ohio, for some time, as head trimmer at the Fink Parisian Millinery parlors, has resigned her position to accept a more lucrative one at Charleston, W. Va. She is now in New York City in interest of the firm.

Among those from here who were in Lexington Saturday were Mrs. W. R. Thomas, Miss Ethel Thomas, Mr. Hanson Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bean, Mr. Asa Sphar, Mrs. C. J. Boswell, Misses Clara Harding, Sallie McDonald, Mr. J. M. Jenkins, Miss Margaret McKinley, Mr. Floyd Clay, Misses Carrie Morgan Graves and Carrie Featheringill, Goldie Perry, Mr. B. R. Jonett, Judge Smith

Hays, Mrs. Wible, Miss Wanda Wible, Mr. Chester Reese, Miss Leila Woodford.

Miss Inez Snodgrass, of Lexington, spent Sunday here the guest of friends.

Miss Lilla Phelps spent Sunday in Lexington.

Miss Frances Nelson, of Louisville, is the attractive guest of Mrs. Buford A. Tracy, of South Main.

Mr. Prewitt Harris, of Lexington, was in town Saturday on business.

Mrs. Flora Hughart spent Sunday in Mt. Sterling, the guest of friends.

Mrs. Walker Lancaster spent Sunday in Mt. Sterling with friends.

Miss Golden Day will have as her guests Monday night for the Bachelor Maids' Dance Misses Hilda Threlkheld, of Maysville; Elizabeth Fisher, of Louisville; Annette Steele, of Pine Grove, and Margaret and Arabella Bogie, of Mt. Sterling.

Mrs. B. J. Pritchard, of Huntington, W. Va., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. Gordon Davis and Miss Sallie Pritchard, on East Hickman street.

Mr. Ira G. Tanner is very ill, suffering from a sudden attack of the grippe.

Mrs. W. R. Thomas, Miss Ethel Thomas and Mr. Hanson Thomas were in Lexington Saturday to attend the Anna Russell matinee.

Mrs. Rufus Lisle has returned home after a visit to Mrs. C. F. Maurer, of Lexington.

Mr. Charles Davis has returned to his home in Lexington, after a short visit to friends in this city.

Miss Frances McClelland, of Lexington, will be the guest of Miss Florrie Smith and attend the dance Monday evening.

Mr. W. E. Singleton came home from Corbin, Ky., to be with his family from Saturday until Monday. A family reunion was held Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Lyman and Frank Singleton, of Lexington; Mrs. T. E. Warnock and little son, Wendell of Janesville, Wis., and Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Singleton, of this city, were present.

## MISS ROSE TEMPLEMAN GETS THE DOLL PRIZE.

In the doll and bicycle contest that was on last week in connection with the Bachman's Glass Blowers' show that was at the Auditorium, Miss Rose Templeman and Hansford Jett were the victors. Miss Templeman won the doll, her total vote being 62-666. Miss Beulah Elkin was second. Hansford Jett won the bicycle his vote being 5678. The next closest contestant was Will McEwan, whose total vote was 3568.

## BOOSTING GAME AT RICHMOND.

With the thermometer hugging zero, it seems like a bad time to be talking baseball, yet the enthusiasm in Richmond is high and fans are counting days until the gong shall sound. The management of the Richmond team is leaving no stone unturned to get the best players money can secure, and The Climax can assure its readers that our town will have a team second to none in the Blue Grass League. Richmond was always a good ball town but the fever runs higher now than ever before.—Richmond Climax.

## DEATHS AND FUNERALS.

### Mr. W. S. Woods.

Mr. J. M. Woods, of this city, received a telegram from San Antonio, Texas, Saturday saying that his brother, W. S. Woods of that place, was dead. As the message did not state the cause of his death, Mr. Woods immediately wired for particulars. He received a telegram later stating that his brother's body would be shipped from San Antonio Sunday night and arrive in Lexington Wednesday.

Burial will take place in the Lexington Cemetery Wednesday afternoon.

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## MR. GEO. W. LEE'S CHILD REPORTED BETTER

Little One Who Drank Carbolic Acid Will Probably Recover.

The eighteen-months-old child of George W. Lee who drank some carbolic acid last week is reported better Monday morning and it is now thought that the child will recover.

## UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

Alkiviadon, James.  
Ru'tt, Mrs. Kate P.  
Burton, Mrs. Ella.  
Boone, B. L.  
Casei, Louis.  
Conel, Miss Laura.  
Egerton, John.  
Gravitt, John.  
Gray, Charley.  
Gatwood, Miss Pearley.  
Gay, Pearl B.  
Hensley, Burns.  
Hamilton, Mrs. Lula.  
Jones, L. C.  
Kueller, Rev. Andrew.  
Millet, John J.  
Malling, Grillin.  
Mason, Miss Nannie.  
Poer, Mrs. G. W.  
Reed, Alonzo.  
Stone, Miss Nannie.  
Swope, Loula.  
Simpson, William.  
Turley, Mrs. F. A.  
Totten, Edgar L.  
Wheeler, Stoner.  
Webb, Mrs. Sarah.

R. R. PERRY,  
Postmaster.

## CAKE TWO YEARS OLD.

Recently Mr. A. Gnadinger, of Cynthiana, gave a birthday dinner to some of his friends. One of those that intended to be present was Mr. Asa Sphar, of this city. Mr. Sphar was suffering with boils in inconvenient places and could not go.

A specialty of Mr. Gnadinger's dinners is a black cake of his own make, two years old. At the recent dinner about half the cake was left. This was sent to Mr. Sphar Sunday. Mr. Sphar is cheery over his cake and positively refuses to divide with his friends.

## CONTRACTOR TAKES HIS LIFE.

HENDERSON, Ky., Feb. 22.—Robert Bady, aged about 50 years, a well-known building contractor of this city, committed suicide at noon today by taking carbolic acid. His wife and one child survive.

## ROBBERS GET AWAY WITH CASH

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# The Round-Up

A Romance of Arizona

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"Lemme handle this case," he interrupted. "There hain't no man can travel in my outfit an' insult a woman. You ask her pardon—right smart."

Peruna struggled to his feet. Buck commanded:

"Down on yer knees."

A glance at Buck showed Peruna how deadly in earnest he was. Reluctantly he sank to his knees.

"I didn't mean what I said. I hope you will excuse me," he whined.

"That's enough. Now git up. Pull yer freight," Buck ordered.

"No!" interposed Sagebrush. The cowboys seized Peruna.

Buck saw that his bluff at bossing the situation was called. He turned appealingly to Echo and rapidly fabricated a moving tale about Peruna's heroic rescue of himself from drowning in the Gila river.

"An' I swore I would do as much for him some day. Now I propose that we all give him a kick an' let him go—let him have two hours' start, after which the game laws will be out on him."

Sagebrush cried out against the plan, but Echo was moved by McKee's appeal for his comrade and, speaking low and beseechingly to Sagebrush, said:

"It will save a range war that we can't afford to have till Jack and Slim get back." Sagebrush finally assented.

"Two hours' start. Well, he'll have to go some if he gits away. Kick him an' let him go," he commanded.

Echo turned away.

The cowboys who held Peruna threw him to the ground, and every man of the Allen and Payson ranches gave him a vicious kick. Show Low putting in an extra one for his murdered bunkie. Last of all, McKee approached the prostrate man and made the mistake which was to cost him his life by booting Peruna cruelly.

Rising from the ground and trembling with anger, Peruna turned on the calf breed, saying, "I'll square this deal, Buck McKee."

"Losin' vallyble time, Peruna. Git!" was all that his former boss deigned to answer.

Peruna limped over to his horse, which Parentthesis had been holding in custody, mounted it and rode off at a lope for the river ford. He crossed it in sight of the Sweetwater outfit and disappeared behind the river bank. Here he dismounted and, picking a small branch of cactus, put it under his horse's tail. The poor beast clapped his tail against it and, with a scream, set off on a wild gallop across the mesa. Peruna hobbled up the river a mile or so, half waded, half swam, to the other side and entered an arroyo whose course led back near the camp of the Sweetwater outfit. He had been disarmed by the cow-

boys of his revolver, but not of his knife.

After Peruna had been visited with his punishment Echo retraced her steps.

Bowing to her, hat in hand, Buck made his apologies. "Ma'am, I'm plumb sorry. My mother was a Cherokee squaw, but I'm white in some spots. If you'll let yer ranch boss come along with us we'll settle this brandin' business right now."

Sagebrush did not care to accept the offer, but Echo ordered him to go with



"I'll square this deal, Buck McKee."

the Lazy K outfit. Seeing it was useless to argue with her, he said, "Come on, boys."

Ere they had ridden out of sight Echo sank exhausted on the seat by the fire. She buried her face in her hands and sobbed.

Polly played the role of comforter. "Don't mind 'em," she said. "Better come to the ranch with me. You're all tuckered out. You've been runnin' this ranch for a month like a man."

"I'll take your advice, Polly, and ride home. Tell dad I want him, will you?"

## CHAPTER XVII.

BUD'S conscience was not troubling him so much now. In fact, he was rather proud of his conduct of late. He had shaken Buck McKee, and he had forgiven Echo for all the hard thoughts

he had against her—without considering that she would be more than woman if she failed to harbor resentment against the man who had prevented her from calling her husband back from the desert.

In the absence of Slim both Bud and McKee had attained a feeling of security in the matter of the Terrill murder. McKee had already ventured to use some of his share of the robbery in gambling. Bud had not yet convinced himself either of the right or the advisability of spending his share.

Both conscience and fear advised him to keep the blood money intact. He carried it with him wherever he went and became in time quite pleased with himself because of his compunctions in doing so. He was even pharisaical about McKee's gambling. No; when his mind had become clear about keeping it, such as investing in a saloon in Florence. When, however, he suggested to Polly that dispensing liquors over a bar and running a faro game on the side would be a congenial occupation suited to their talents she sat down forcibly upon his aspiration, and they finally compromised on Polly's proposition to conduct a livery stable in Tucson, where, Polly felt, though she did not say so to Bud, that Sheriff Hoover, with whom she had been flirting too dangerously, would not be in evidence, as in Florence.

Polly, however, was greatly puzzled over Bud's confidence in his ability to raise the wind that would launch this delectable but to her mind illusory enterprise. In a moment of weakness he intimated that he already had the money in hand.

"How did you get it?" she demanded. "Saved it," he said.

When she asked him how he could have saved the thousand dollars demanded for the stable out of his salary of \$40 a month he replied:

"By economizing. I've cut off my chewing tobacco."

"That cost you but two bits a week, an' you've taken up cigarettes at a dime a day," said observant Polly. "I know what you've been doin'. You've been gamblin'."

"Cross my heart, Polly, I haven't," said Bud, and Polly, who had no great objection to using money won at cards so long as she did not positively know the fact, discontinued her objections and resumed the delightful occupation of castle building. The home she had in view consisted of three rooms over the livery stable.

"I want a red carpet in the front room an' wall paper like that at Bowen's store, with hosses jumpin' gates on it."

"Don't you think there will be a little too much horse there, Polly, with the stable under us and the smell coming up?"

"Sho, Bud, you can't have too much horse. Why, it was the hoss smell about your clothes that made me fall in love with you," exclaimed the enthusiastic horsewoman. She continued:

"An' I want a yellow plush furniture set, an' a photograph album to match, an' a center table, an' a 'Rock of Ages' picture, an' a boudoir!"

A boudoir was beyond the ken of Bud. He knew nothing of housekeeping. This must be one of those strange articles the mystery of which he would have to solve before he could feel that he was really a married man.

"What the devil is a boudoir?" he asked.

"I don't know what it is, but all rich women have them."

Bud took both of Polly's hands in his. Looking her fondly in the eyes, he said: "Then, by thunder, I'll get you two of 'em. We'll raise the limit when we furnish that shack. I'm the happiest man in the country."

"Well, you ought to be," laughed Polly. "Just see what you are gettin'."

"I've got to chase myself back to the house. You're ridin' night herd tonight, ain't you?" she added.

"Yes, I'm on the cocktail tonight. I am going to bunk down here. I'll be up at the house at sunup, and we can go over to Florence together."

"I'll have breakfast ready for you. Rope my pony for me, will you?" Bud was smiling and happy again. All of his troubles were forgotten. "All right!" he cried as he started to mount.

"Say, you're awful forgetful, aren't you?" asked Polly demurely.

Bud looked about him, slightly bewildered. Then he realized his oversight. He ran to Polly's side and tried to kiss her, but she motioned him aside, saying: "Too late. You lose."

"But I didn't know," stammered Bud. "Next time you'll know. On your way!" airily commanded the girl.

Bud's face darkened. "Oh, well, goodby."

Polly looked after him, perplexed and angry. His surrender to her whims without a fight nettled her.

"Goodby yourself," she snapped. "He's the most forgetful man I ever loved. If I thought he was a gambler I'd get a divorce from him before I married him. I would sure," murmured Polly as Bud disappeared toward the corral.

"Why, John! How dare you!" Adding, though:

"But somehow I always knew you loved me!"

And concluding:

"Mother will be so pleased when I tell her."

(To be Continued.)

## HER GENTLE HINTS

It Took Him a Long Time to Get Wise.

"Ah?" she said, entering the room. "Are you ready?"

"Yes," piped John, picking up his hat and rising to his feet, "I'm ready." She put her black caracul coat on one chair, her ermine boa on another, her vanity bag on a third and herself on a fourth.

"Come," she said, "I'll let you button my gloves."

And as John comes awkwardly forward and starts on his appointed task, let us carefully consider this matter of buttoning a lady's gloves.

In the first place, she was seated and John was bending over her, a dangerous position and most naturally to be relieved by kneeling on the floor at her feet or sitting on the arm of her chair. Then again, as everyone knows, it is not the easiest thing in the world to button a black button on a pair of black gloves at night, and John had to bend over further and further while she gave him tender little glances from time to time as though to encourage him and to see that he was not growing discontented with his work. Further and further he bent over, and more and more tender grew her glances until at last he drew a full breath and said:

"There!"

"How nice you did it!" she whispered. "I don't know how to thank you!"

"Oh, that's all right," he said. And turning to her impediment she added:

"Shall I help you with your coat?" "I wish you'd do something else for me first," she bashfully said. "Do you mind, John?"

"What is it?" he asked first. "I think—I don't know, but I think—that one of the buttons on the back of my waist has come undone. Do you mind, John?"

And as she turns around and resigns herself to him with a pretty little air of helplessness, let us give a modicum of thought to this somewhat intricate subject as well. In the first place, every time he nearly had the button where he wanted it, she drew her shoulders forward a bit and he had to start all over again. It was an exceptionally pretty waist; a gold and amethyst chain hung over the back of her shoulders; a string of pearls encircled her throat and ended in a little clasp at the back; the riot of her back hair was partly confined by a knobby tortoise shell ornament, and various little curls threw themselves around in an ecstasy whenever they had a chance. Then, again, she kept turning around to see how he was progressing, and glancing at him over her shoulder, and turning back quickly when she caught his eye, and putting her head on one side and looking coy. Ah, very, very coy she looked, and especially so when he murmured:

"That's it."

But her only response was to put her head a little further on one side and to look coyer than ever.

"It's buttoned," he said. "Tee-hee!" she giggled. "Tee-hee-hee!"

"Now you can help with my coat!" And as he helps her with her coat let us take thought together and reflect upon this phase of the question, too. Helping a girl with her coat can be divided into three stanzas: holding, tucking in the sleeves, adjusting. So in the first place, John held it, but it was in vain that she tried to find the sleeves and at last John had to take her hands and guide them into their places. Next, she turned around, pink and rosy, so that John could tuck in the sleeves of the waist. Very pink was her face, and very rosy, and very close to John's, but John only blinked his eyes and when it came to the third stanza he refused to sing at all and left her to adjust the coat herself, smoothing it over the shoulders and pressing it in at the waist as though she liked to do it herself and wouldn't let John do it, even if he went down on his knees and asked her with tears in his eyes.

"And now my box," she smiled. He slung it around her neck in a sheepish manner but it seemed to her just possible—just barely possible—that his finger touched her clumsily under her chin; a suspicion that was confirmed by the brick-red tints of John as he picked up his hat again.

"Now I'll turn the gas out," And down—down—down went the gas to the nearest point of light, where it remained for a good 30 seconds and then suddenly turned up again.

"Oh, there you are!" she cried. "Why, where did you think I was?" asked John, from the doorway.

"Never you mind!" she exclaimed, and down—down—down went the gas, only to flare up again after an interval.

"I thought I heard you tiptoeing over here," she accused him. "No, no," said John. "I—I was right here all the time."

So for the third time she doused the glim and her expectancy was at last rewarded by the tumult of John's approach. Yet, although his first tiptoeing step kicked a hassock across the room and his second nearly knocked a cabinet table over, he must have surprised her after all, for when a certain chirp had chirped she cried in utter, utter astonishment:

"Why, John! How dare you!" Adding, though:

"But somehow I always knew you loved me!"

And concluding:

"Mother will be so pleased when I tell her."

## MAN IS IMMUNE TO DEATH.

Down With the Maine and Slocum and Lives Through Appendicitis.

New York.—John Downs of Yonkers does not boast of being a hero, and he does not expect to live as long as Methuselah, but he has faced death and escaped so often that his friends regard him as almost immune. They attribute his escapes to a hardy constitution and remarkable nerve. When he left the St. John hospital in Yonkers the other day, cured of appendicitis, although hope had been abandoned of his ever getting over it, he was smiling and just as confident of enjoying long life as he was after he was blown up with the Maine, and again after barely escaping death when the General Slocum burned.

Downs was taken to the hospital several weeks ago and underwent an operation for appendicitis. He had delayed the visit to the institution so long that the surgeons said he could not recover. For days he was hourly expected to die, but Downs surprised the surgeons with his wonderful vitality.

"I am not going to die this time," said he. "It will take something worse than appendicitis to keel me over for good."

He finally began rapidly to grow better, and as he was convalescing in the hospital he told the nurses of his escape when the Maine was blown up. He was picked up unconscious in the water, but a few days afterward was fit for active duty, and served on an American battleship when Cervera's fleet was sunk. He was on the General Slocum when that boat caught fire. He jumped overboard and was rescued as he was going down. Downs is only 32 years old, and has hopes of living a few years more.

## "BOOBY HUT" HAS RUNNERS.

Survival of Old Fashion in Sleighs Goes to Museum.

Windsor, Conn.—A booby hut sleigh, so-called in the days when Yankees considered it effeminate for a man to ride in a covered carriage, has just been presented to the Ellsworth house, the home of the Connecticut Daughters of the American Revolution. The sleigh, which is said to be considerably over a hundred years old, was for many generations the property of the Alsop family of Middletown, Conn., and so far as is known is the only one of its kind in existence in New England.

It is a covered sleigh, with a cab like that of the modern automobile, and the driver's seat in front behind a high dashboard. Heavy straps in front and back are used to suspend the cab.

The sleigh is built of heavy oak, with iron reinforcements. The runners, which are about three inches wide, end abruptly near the rear of the cab. The interior of the cab is upholstered with a fabric of white with a blue figure. In the back of the cab, near the top, is a window with an adjustable shade.

## GRAND DUCHESS TAKES VEIL.

Sister of Czarina Becomes Head of Imperial Russian Order.

St. Petersburg.—Grand Duchess Elizabeth, sister of the czarina and widow of the murdered Grand Duke Serge, has been made head of the Order of the Imperial Sisters of Charity.

She sent a prospectus of the congregation to all the royal princesses of Europe. The empress, Dowager Empress Marie and all the Russian grand duchesses have joined the new order and a large number of other ladies belonging to noble houses are on the list of candidates.

The habit adopted by Grand Duchess Elizabeth resembles that of an abbess of the orthodox church, and is very rich and elaborate with precious furs, gold chains and netted hoods.

The order does not require its votaries to take special vows except that of perpetual charity, and members wear the habit only when on errands of mercy.

## JAIL NOT THE NEST IT WAS.

"Weary Willies" Disgusted with New Conditions.

Burlington, N. J.—Burlington county jail is losing its long-famous popularity as a winter resting place with hoboes. One of the weary ones held up in this city expressed his disgust with the new conditions under the regime of Sheriff Worrell. "Please don't arrest me," pleaded the tramp. "I put up the game and was shoved in for a month, just as I had for many a winter; but I don't want to go back while that new feller is sheriff. The whole winter bunch is sore on him."

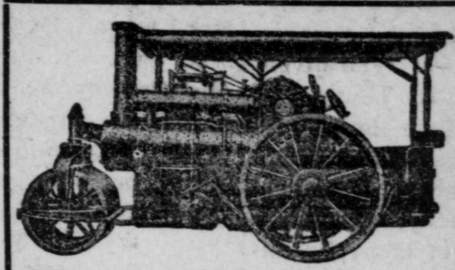
"He made us wash, and we had to sweep out the cells every day and work around the jail. The lights were put out at nine o'clock, instead of lettin' them burn, so we could play cards all night, as we used to. And you can't get a drop of booze inside the jug!" Say, boss, it's awful; and when they opened them gates for me to get out I skinned in a hurry! If you let me go I'll promise not to stop till I get safe in the old, reliable ark at Freehold."

## Must Be Healthy to Marry.

St. Paul, Minn.—Senator Thomas J. Brady of St. Paul, leader of the Democratic minority, will introduce a bill providing for the issuance of health certificates by a matrimonial commissioner. Senator Brady's idea is that every applicant for a marriage license must submit to an examination by a physician. He would bar from marriage all persons suffering from certain diseases.

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## HE HAD THE FAMILY FAILING.

Humorous Apology Made by Pompous Old Colored Butler.

A relative of Thomas Nelson Page, who resides in the south, has in his employ an old family butler, who goes by the name of "Ebe," short for Ebenezer. Ebe is a very pompous "cultured gemmum," intensely proud of "de family" and emulative of his master, "de cunel," in every possible instance.

A few days ago there was a big dinner "up at de house," and in the colonel's absence Ebe took advantage of the occasion to get gloriously intoxicated, and was unable to attend to his duties for a day or two. A daughter of the household undertook to reproach the old man, who expressed great repentance, promised reform, and, finally, when he saw how seriously his offense was taken, ended with:

"Now, Miss Lucy, doan' yo' be too hahd on his dahkey. Ah knows ah oughtn't tuh drink dat whiskey when all dem folks was heah, but den yo' knows, Miss Lucy, Ah's jus' lak' de cunel; and, Miss Lucy, yo' knows yo'se'f none ob us Pages evah could stan' no liquah."

## The "No-Breakfast" Habit.

The no-breakfast habit is harmless enough, provided a hearty meal is taken, not before going to bed, but early in the evening. Late diners have no need of "breakfast" until noontime. The French and other continental people discovered this ages ago, and have thrived under it. Barring the cup of coffee or chocolate, the late dining Frenchman wants nothing to eat until luncheon. But the habit of avoiding early food and drink in this stimulating climate when the physical energies must be taxed during the morning hours is one of those silly notions which bear anaemic results, visible in the complexion, the color and eventually the constitution of those devoted to it.—Boston Herald.

## Necessary Optimism.

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## Heroines of the Battlefield

By Anita N. McGee

Four Hundred Women Enlisted as Soldiers in Civil War—Crimean War Gave Stimulus to Idea of Training Women Nurses—Florence Nightingale's Work—Interesting Facts About the Use of "Term" "Red Cross"—Wide-spread Misunderstanding as to Its Meaning.

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(Dr. Anita Newcomb McGee is the one woman in this country who has held a commission as an officer of the United States army. During the Spanish-American war, as director of the hospital corps organized by the Army and Navy chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, of which society she was vice-president-general, Dr. McGee was regularly appointed assistant surgeon of the army. During the war she was constantly on duty, visiting hospitals and battlefields as her capacity of director and supervisor of the army's trained nurses. She was prominently connected with the Japanese hospital service during the late war with Russia. Dr. McGee studied abroad at Cambridge and the University of Geneva. She was graduated from Columbia university of Washington in 1888. Later she took a special course at Johns Hopkins hospital. She is a fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.)

An army has always two parts. One part is the actual fighters, who work, suffer and die and at the end receive all the glory. The other part is those who provide for the fighters. They also work and suffer and die, but at the end they are ignored and afterward forgotten.

There are naturally very few women who have achieved glory in the fighting part of an army, though the amazons are well known and Semiramis, Zenobia and Jeanne d'Arc were commanders of armies. In former times, however, many a woman concealed her sex and took her place in the ranks as a man, though, from the nature of the case, not many of their names are known. Among those who enlisted in our revolutionary army were Deborah Sampson, Elizabeth Canning and Molly Macauley, and the last-named won the grade of sergeant before being discovered. It has been estimated that during our civil war no less than 400 women contrived by some means or other to enlist as soldiers. The most recent instance of fighting women was in the Transvaal war when many a burgher's wife handled a weapon at his side and many were taken prisoners, some of them being dressed as men. It is quite common for the royal women of Europe to-day to hold honorary commissions, generally as colonels, and although not expected to take command in time of actual war, they do wear their uniforms and ride with their troops on occasions of ceremony.

But, after all, the true story of women in armies relates to their part in providing and caring for the fighters. The present elaborate organization of armies is of comparatively recent growth, and originally the greater part of the cooking and of the nursing of soldiers was done by their hardy female relatives, who were as well able as themselves to bear the fatigues of the campaign. It is always easier to procure a new soldier than it is to cure one who is sick or wounded, and the humane medical corps, as one of the departments of an army, was a growth of the last century. During the middle ages the care of the sick was largely left to the great catholic order of knights and the orders of sisters who were affiliated with them. On the continent of Europe to-day, although a large majority of army nurses are men, yet in most countries there are a few sisters of catholic orders who not only continue to follow the troops in time of war, but who serve as head nurses in large army hospitals in time of peace.

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### Hatology.

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### The Reason.

"Men worry more than women." "Yes; they not only have everything to worry about that women have, but they also have the women to worry about, too."—Smart Set.

### Vanity.

The more one speaks of himself the less he likes to hear another talked of.—Lavater.

the idea of training nurses, and it ultimately led to the introduction into the British army of a regular corps of women nurses. These "sisters," as they are called, are of course graduates of hospital training schools and their work consists essentially in the supervision of the nursing in large hospitals where the details are carried out by men enlisted for the purpose. In some respects the English system is well organized, as the rules are explicit regarding increase of pay with length of service, with provision for retirement and pensions. The most important post in this service is that of woman superintendent of Netley hospital, there being no woman at the head of all the nurses. There exists also an independent Indian nursing service of secular "sisters."

At the outbreak of the South African war the number of English sisters was fixed at 79, of whom 63 were employed in the British isles and 16 at Gibraltar, Malta and Egypt. In addition to this small number provided for peace times there was a corps of reserve sisters, although appointments to it were unfortunately not under the control of the war office. As the nursing sisters of the reserves numbered only 93, hasty appointments were made, and some women who were entirely without knowledge of a nurse's duties succeeded in obtaining appointments. Of course the trained nurses who were sent to the Transvaal worked nobly and well, though the investigation of army hospitals has shown a most distressing insufficiency in their number.

The United States is looked to as a country whose system of women nurses may, in many respects, be used as an example.

Our nurse corps is a matter of quite recent growth. There were, of course, a large number of women employed during the civil war, most of them appointed by Miss Dorothea Lynde Dix, who was then superintendent of women nurses, but their services, as well as the work of the helpers who held no regular positions, came to an end at the close of the war. A vast amount of good was done by these women individually, but there was no lasting effect on the army itself.

In 1887 congress authorized the enlistment of men in what is named the hospital corps for the purpose of serving as nurses and attendants in army hospitals and camps and on the field of battle. This corps is composed of privates, who are the practical equivalents of undergraduate nurses in the civil hospitals and of stewards and acting stewards, who are virtually graduate nurses. At the outbreak of the Spanish war there were 723 men in the hospital corps, a number barely adequate for an army of 25,000 men in time of peace, but, of course, wholly inadequate in time of war for an army 10 times that size. Although effort was made to supply the deficiency as far as practicable by transfers of men from the regiments, there arose in the summer of 1898 a great need for trained nurses to care for the vast number of seriously sick men. As nursing has always been essentially a woman's work it became necessary to send great numbers of women to our army camps and hospitals.

Had such an emergency arisen in a continental country its government would have called upon those aid societies which had organized and equipped themselves for such work and which were officially recognized by being placed under the control of a government officer. Some of these organizations abroad are religious in character and some of the others are allied with the International Committee for the Relief of Wounded in War, which meets at Berne, Switzerland, and which committee is here commonly, but erroneously, spoken of as an international Red Cross society. In time of war these various official aid societies are told where their help will be expected and among other things how many nurses they will be called upon to supply for the government.

In our country, with its prevailing independence, army assistance may be rendered by any one who chooses to offer it and no organizations are recognized as those through which alone such assistance will be received. It is true that there was before and during the Spanish war a committee acting under the name of the "American National Red Cross," which was allied with the international committee, but it had no exclusive recognition from our government, nor had it any organization as a general society. A number of societies existed during the Spanish war which had the name of the Red Cross, although they were, as a rule, independent of the committee, of which Miss Barton was president.

### Made a Natural Mistake.

"Yes, he thought he was getting a prize when he married her. He saw her getting off a street car in the right way, and at once concluded she was the one woman in all the world for him."

### "Go on."

"He found when it was too late that she had become confused and got off the car in the right way because she thought it was going in the other direction."

### Could Prove an Alibi.

Doctor (to his patient who is ill with typhoid fever)—This is probably caused by some water you have drunk. When did you last take some?

Patient—About three years ago, I think.

### TRAIN SCHEDULE.

#### CHESAPEAKE & OHIO.

##### Eastbound.

No. 26, Daily Ex Sun... 8:42 a. m.  
No. 22, Daily... 11:57 a. m.  
No. 28, Daily Ex. Sunday 6:30 p. m.  
No. 24, Daily... 9:25 p. m.

##### Westbound.

No. 27, Daily Ex. Sunday 6:22 a. m.  
No. 21, Daily... 8:03 a. m.  
No. 25, Daily Ex. Sunday 2:50 p. m.  
No. 23, Daily... 4:38 p. m.

#### LOUISVILLE & NASHVILLE

##### Southbound.

No. 37—Cincinnati-Knoxville local, 10:00 a. m.  
No. 33—Cincinnati-Jacksonville limited, 10:57 a. m.  
No. 9—Maysville-Stanford local, with Cincinnati connection at Paris, arrives at 6:32; departs at 6:35 p. m.  
No. 31—Cincinnati-Atlanta limited, 11:23 p. m.

##### Northbound.

No. 34—Atlanta-Cincinnati limited, 5:06 a. m.  
No. 10—Stanford-Maysville local connecting at Paris for Cincinnati, 7:23 a. m.  
No. 38—Knoxville-Cincinnati local, arrives 2:50; departs 2:53 p. m.  
No. 32—Jacksonville-Cincinnati limited, 5:45 p. m.

All of these trains will stop at Winchester; also are all daily, except Nos. 9 and 10, which are daily, except Sunday.

#### EXINGTON & EASTERN RY CO.

Time Card, in Effect June 21, 1908.

Stations	East Bound		Westbound	
	No. 2	No. 4	No. 1	No. 3
	Daily	Daily	Daily	Daily
	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.
v. Lexington	2:25	7:35	6:10	2:20
Winchester	3:05	8:13	6:15	2:25
L. & E. Junction	3:20	8:26	6:20	2:30
Clay City	3:50	9:02	6:30	2:40
Stanton	3:58	9:10	6:40	2:50
Campton Junction	4:30	9:38	6:50	3:00
Natural Bridge	4:35	9:43	7:00	3:10
Torrent	4:47	9:56	7:10	3:20
Beattyville June.	5:10	10:17	7:20	3:30
Athol	5:37	10:45	7:30	3:40
O. & K. Junction	6:05	11:15	7:40	3:50
v. Jackson	6:10	11:20	7:50	4:00

Stations	East Bound		Westbound	
	No. 1	No. 3	No. 2	No. 4
	Ex.	Only	Ex.	Only
	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.
v. Jackson	6:10	2:20	7:00	3:30
O. & K. June.	6:15	2:25	7:05	3:35
Athol	6:40	2:52	7:30	3:54
Beattyville June	7:07	3:20	7:54	4:01
Torrent	7:30	3:41	8:15	4:22
Natural Bridge	7:45	3:55	8:26	4:33
Campton June.	7:48	3:57	8:28	4:35
Stanton	8:15	4:26	8:54	4:54
Clay City	8:25	4:35	9:02	5:02
L. & E. June.	9:00	5:07	9:34	5:36
Winchester	9:12	5:20	9:46	5:48
Ar. Lexington	9:55	6:05	10:25	6:18

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L. & E. Junction—Trains Nos. 1, 2 and 3, will make connection with the C. & O. Ry. for Mt. Sterling.  
Campton Junction—Trains Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4, will connect with the Mountain Central Ry. for passengers to and from Campton, Ky.  
Beattyville Junction—Trains Nos. 1 and 4 will connection with the L. & E. Ry. for Beattyville, Ky.  
O. & K. Junction—Trains Nos. 1 and 4 will connect with the O. & K. Railway for Cannel City, Ky., and way stations.

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## MOB HUNGERS FOR VENGEANCE

**Sinks Life of White Woman's Assailant.**

## FOUR NEGROES ARRESTED

Ottumwa, Ia., Citizens Surround Jail and Make Noisy Demonstration, Lack Leader and Police Aided by Vigilance Committee Prevent Bloodshed—Burley Colored Brute Attacks Inval and Beats Her Into Insensibility With Curtain Pole.

Ottumwa, Ia., Feb. 22.—The citizens of Ottumwa were on the verge of adding another bloody chapter to the history of race riots in the United States. A mob of men and boys, which increased from 100 to more than 1,000, gathered around the city jail, thirsty for vengeance upon an unknown negro who committed an assault upon a white woman. Three negroes were taken to the city jail as suspects and one to the county jail. A demonstration was made by the mob as the fourth man was brought in, but there was no man daring enough to lead.

John Junkin, a negro suspected of the murder of Clara Rosen two weeks ago, was taken out of town secretly by the police following the early manifestation of mob spirit. The recently organized vigilance committee aided the police, who declared they had the situation in control. Company G of the National Guard, under command of Captain Schamp, was held in the barracks.

Mrs. Charles M. Johnston, the invalid wife of an Ottumwa traveling man, was in bed with her four-year-old child when she awoke to find a negro bending over her. Before she could scream for help the black seized her by the throat and began to choke her. Despite her weakness as the result of a recent operation, Mrs. Johnston fought desperately. She tore herself loose from the big hands and the child screamed. There was a curtain pole an inch in diameter which was used as a window prop within reach. The negro grabbed this and beat the woman until she became unconscious.

The cries of the child finally aroused the neighbors, who found Mrs. Johnston lying on the floor unconscious. By her side was the curtain pole stained with her blood. The news spread rapidly. The police rushed out the vigilantes and within a half hour armed posses were on the trail of the fleeing negro. Members of the citizens' guard were posted in places where riots were feared and the names of the negroes were placed under watch.

## OMAHA MOB WRECKS CITY'S GREEK QUARTER

**Two Boys Shot By Foreigners When Driven to Wall.**

Omaha, Neb., Feb. 22.—Following a massacre at a mass meeting at the city hall in South Omaha, at which a few members of the state legislature and an attorney were the principal speakers, a wild mob of 800 to 1,000 men started for the Greek quarter to avenge the death of Patrolman Edward Lowery, who was shot and killed Friday night by a Greek whom he had placed under arrest. Attacks were made at three different points.

Before their thirst for blood had been satisfied two boys were shot and at least eight persons injured by heavy missiles which the crowd used as weapons, and not less than 30 buildings were partly demolished. The injured boys are Frank Sweeney and Joseph Gamble, each about 15 years of age, who received part of the wounds of a shotgun fired into the crowd by the maddened Greeks. The other persons injured were all foreigners.

The three attacks were made almost simultaneously, and the destruction was completed before Chief Briggs could get his scattered force, which is not great at any time, together and stop the depredations. Nighttime Sheriff Bralley was notified and collected all the deputies possible and rushed them to South Omaha to aid the police. It took some time to get the force organized, and during the interval Greeks were attacked on every hand.

**Explosion Proves Fatal.**  
Defiance, O., Feb. 22.—Alfred T. Krasa, superintendent of the American Steel Package company, who was injured by a gas explosion at the plant, is dead as a result of his injuries. The other two employees of the plant injured at the same time are making well.

**Governor to Give Trophy.**  
Saledo, O., Feb. 22.—It was announced that Governor Harmon had notified the Toledo Yacht club that he will present a splendid trophy to be used for the annual interlake regatta to be held here this summer.

## GOVERNOR IS GETTING CHUMMY

**With Newspaper Men at Frankfort—Treats All Alike and Plays No Favorites.**

FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 22.—Gov. Willson is getting so he and the newspaper men at Frankfort are great chums. It is very different from the conditions which existed when the Governor first came to Frankfort. Then Gov. Willson was unusually busy and he had not learned "the ropes," as they say up here. To get into the Governor's office it was necessary to send in a card and wait in line for half an hour or longer. Even Gov. Bradley was kept waiting on one occasion and left the anteroom in a huff. In those days the door to the Governor's private office was always kept closed and seeing the Governor was a difficult feat which required time. The newspaper men rarely saw Gov. Willson and he did not know them. He was always square with the newspaper men at that and gave them all the news that was going, but it was given out through his secretary and the newspaper men did not see him.

Now it is different. The newspaper men feel toward Gov. Willson like they have always felt toward Lieut. Gov. Cox and they feel just as free to ask questions and talk to Gov. Willson as they always did with Gov. Cox. The door to the Governor's private office stays open all day long unless there is a meeting of one of the State commissioners in the room, and the newspaper men feel free to walk in when they find the Governor alone. Ceremony has taken a back seat and things are moving much more smoothly than they did at first.

**Impartial As To News.**  
Gov. Willson has been in office more than a year and during that time he has never, in any way, attempted even to suggest how a news story should be written or to dictate or suppress a news story. In that he differs from most men who have been in the Governor's chair. He has always, too, shown strict impartiality in giving out the news from his office, and there have been no "scoops" in his department, if he could prevent it. He has played no favorites, and Democratic newspapers have fared just the same as Republican newspapers, getting all the news there was to be given out.

## SIX CANDIDATES IN RACE FOR SPEAKER

**Harry Schoberth Says He Will Be One—Expects Democrats to Control House.**

FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 22.—Representative Harry A. Schoberth, of Woodford county, stopped over in Frankfort a short while Saturday morning on his way to Louisville, where he will attend a three days' jubilee to be given the Pythians. Mr. Schoberth is Grand Master at Arms of this popular order and takes a great interest in its work.

"I am still a candidate for Speaker of the next House," he told the News' correspondent, "and expect to win my race easily. It looks like the woods will be full of candidates, but the old saying, the more, the merrier, goes with me. I understand that George Wilson, Will Shanks, Lillard Carter, J. C. Pittle, of Hardin county, and Clarence U. McElroy, of Bowling Green, will be candidates against me. It's some time between now and the convening of the Legislature, and you can never tell what the developments will be between now and then. It looks good for me, and I am in the race to win."

Mr. Schoberth said he had no doubt but that the Democrats will control both branches of the General Assembly at the 1910 session. The party is in better shape in the State right now than ever before, he thinks, and he looks for land slides in the various legislative districts this fall.

**ENGINEER SAYS CANAL CAN BE FINISHED BY 1914.**

CHICAGO, Feb. 22.—Isham Randolph, one of the seven engineers who accompanied President-elect Taft to the canal one, said today that he could see no reason why the Panama Canal should not be completed by 1914, one year earlier than has been expected generally.

He declared the conditions in the canal zone are excellent and the salaries paid average 40 per cent more than in the United States.

**TRY A NEWS' WANT ADVERTISEMENT.**

## LENTEN SEASON IS TO BEGIN NEXT WEDNESDAY

**Millions of People to Observe Anniversary of Death and Resurrection.**

Millions of people every year observe the anniversary of the death and resurrection of Christ with forty days of fasting, and all Christians celebrate His resurrection on Easter Sunday. The Lenten season this year begins next Wednesday. However, a knowledge of the celebration of Lent is not universal and it might be interesting to many people.

The word Lent comes from the Anglo-Saxon "Lenct," meaning spring. Lent is a fast observed in the Roman, Greek and Anglican churches and was originally kept during the forty hours immediately preceding Easter, that being the number of hours that is generally believed to have intervened between the death and the resurrection of Christ.

Later, other days were added, their number varying in different churches. Cassian (420 B. C.) says none exceeded thirty-six fasting days. He affirms that the observance of Lent is not primitive.

**An Ancient Institution.**

However, it is certainly an ancient institution, although the New Testament contains no reference to it. The earliest allusions to a fast preparatory to Easter are by Irenaeus and Tertullian, who speak of such a fast as then established, though with no intimation of its beginning much before Good Friday. Irenaeus, writing to Victor, Bishop of Rome, says: "Some think they ought to fast for one day, others for two days, and others even for several, while others reckon forty hours both of day and night to their day."

Gregory, the Great, speaks of the fast as of 36 days' duration, i. e., six weeks not counting in the six Sundays. It is not known by whom, or when, the four preceding days were added, beginning with Ash Wednesday.

The 40 days' period now held as commemorative of the Lord's 40 days' fast, or of similar penitential fasts of Moses and of Elias, commences with Ash Wednesday, between which day and Easter Sunday (omitting the Sundays on which the fast is not observed), forty clear days intervene.

**Latitude in Observance.**

In the first three or four centuries much latitude was allowed in the observance of Lent; Chrysostom recommends but does not enforce it, insisting on the prior good works and alms giving. Distinction of foods was not made in primitive times, when the greatest ascetics ate meat in Lent, though they abstained from eating until the evening. Soon afterward the people became more strict in regard to the fasting and would not allow the use of meat under any circumstances. This rigor continued for several years, but after a couple of centuries it began to relax, and now even the so-called "white meats" are allowed to be eaten of sparingly. The practice now is to allow one meal with a slight refection or collation, but this is not strict.

**Kept By Various Churches.**

In the Greek church, the ante-paschal fast is of 48 days; but it is only one of four similar fasting periods observed in that church. In the Anglican church, and in the Protestant Episcopal church in the United States, Lent is retained as a church season of the calendar, with special services, and proper collects and prayers, but the observance of the fast in the strict sense is left to the discretion of each individual.

In most of the European Protestant churches the Lenten season is observed, especially in the Lutheran church; also by the Lutherans in the United States; but with other non prelatical churches in this country, a formal observance is rare, and has been till recently almost unknown.

**WORKING ON DATA FOR THE NEW SCHOOL BILL.**

FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 22.—Secretary George J. Ramsey, of the State Educational Commission, is at work on further changes and amendments to the State's educational code which will be considered by the commission at the next meeting. The commission intends to present a complete draft of a new code for education in the State to the next Legislature, and will also discuss features to be included in the code before the General Assembly convenes.

Examination and certification and the city school board are being considered by Secretary Ramsey now, and data is being compiled for use of the commission when it assembles. No call has yet been issued for another meeting of the board.

## BASEBALL TEAM FOR CLAY CITY

**Manager Flynn Has Signed Players For a First-Class Nine For This Season.**

Mr. O. C. Flynn, of Clay City, but formerly of this place, was in town Saturday night and Sunday. Mr. Flynn will manage and play on the baseball team at Clay City the coming season.

He was in very high spirits in regard to the great game and the prospects for his team this season. He has secured all of his players except a catcher and probably a pitcher and as soon as he secures these players, will be in readiness to open the season, with the prospects of taking many fast and interesting games.

Manager Flynn has secured the old ball grounds in lower Clay City and will put them in first-class condition, first harrowing, then rolling, both in-field and outfield and when finished, it will be the smoothest and most up-to-date ball grounds in that part of the country.

The team will only play Sunday and holiday games and any team desiring a game with them can by writing to the manager, receive an answer at once as to the possibility of a date. Manager Flynn expects to have a team fast enough to secure some games with the teams in the Blue Grass League as soon as their scheduled season is over.

The patrons and lovers of this great sport in Clay City are highly pleased with the efforts Manager Flynn has put forth to give them the best.

## LEG IS AMPUTATED JUST ABOVE KNEE

**Operation on Mr. Curtis Hagin Made Necessary By Gangrene.**

LEXINGTON, Ky., Feb. 21.—Mr. Curtis Hagin was resting comfortably last night at the Good Samaritan Hospital. He was brought here early Saturday night from Jackson with a bad bullet wound in his right leg and the limb was amputated just above the knee a few hours later.

About two weeks ago the pistol was discharged in Mr. Hagin's pocket while a friend was trying to take it away from him and the bullet passed through the thigh and knee lodging in the lower part of the leg. Gangrene set in and it became necessary to amputate the limb.

Mr. Hagin was accompanied to Lexington by his uncle, Judge J. Wise Hagin, of Jackson, and by his wife, who will visit with relatives in this city several weeks.

RICHMOND, Ky., Feb. 22.—The approaching marriage of Miss Fenton Cornelison to Mr. Covington Jett has been announced to take place at the Pond church, two miles of this city, February 27. In this wedding two exceedingly popular young people will be united. The bride-to-be is the highly cultured daughter of Mr. Edward Cornelison, of near this city, while the groom is a prosperous young farmer of the same locality.

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## MARKETS ARE ACTIVE IN MONTGOMERY CO.

**Prices Are High and Still Advancing—Farmers Wait on Weather To Continue Work.**

MT. STERLING, Ky., Feb. 22.—The weather last week was bad in Montgomery county and nothing in the way of farm work was done. However, farmers are well on with their work, nearly all ploughing having been finished and everything being in fine shape for planting time.

Every day indicates increase in acreage of tobacco, and there is a steady demand of tobacco men here for seed, coming from the mountain section, where an effort will be made to grow. No plant beds have yet been sown, but growers are only waiting for an open spell of weather to do the work.

Wheat and rye are in great shape and doing well. All the hemp in the county has been sold at \$6 and will be delivered in this city. The price of corn is advancing, now being from \$3.25 to \$3.50 per barrel, with good seed corn at high prices. Baled timothy hay is being delivered in this market at \$10 and \$11 per ton.

The stock market is high and prices not consistent with the foreign markets are being paid. W. H. Whaley, Jr., of Paris, purchased a bunch of hogs from A. B. Ratliff at \$6.35; R. C. Gatewood bought of Joe C. Turley his entire bunch of hogs, sheep and cattle at 6 cents per pound straight. Lambs are coming good and strong and farmers have been successful in saving nearly all of them. A number of sales have been made for June and July delivery at 5½ cents, with 6 cents paid for one bunch.

A Mr. Holleam, of North Carolina, purchased a carload of mules this week in this county, paying from \$150 to \$175 per head, and also bought two mares from Peed & Setters, paying \$150 and \$160 respectively.

OWINGSVILLE, Ky., Feb. 22.—Hamilton Brothers' store at Flat Creek, conducted by Tony Quinn, was broken into last night. It is not known yet what was stolen as the goods are piled every way indicating a hasty departure.

**WANTED.**—Day boarders. MRS. B. H. BRAMBLETT, 14 S. Maple st. 2-22-6t.

At a sale of P. B. Poer, February 26, I will sell eight first-class Jersey dairy cows. Half are fresh and others will be soon. Will also sell privately, 25 lambing ewes and 1 buck.

T. L. REID.  
2-19-3t.-Fri-Sat-Mon.

**FOR SALE.**—Will sell at public auction February 22nd, (Court Day) at 2 p. m., at Court House, five blocks two shares each of Peoples State Bank stock.

J. N. RANKIN.  
J. R. Bush, Auctioneer.  
1-28-td-e.-o.-d.

**FOR SALE OR RENT.**—House of four rooms in North Park. Apply to R. M. CLARK, 151 Magnolia avenue.  
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**FOR SALE OR RENT.**—Two desirable dwellings, one on Haggard street, the other corner of Burns and Beckner. V. P. AZBELL.  
2-11-1mo.

**LOST.**—Black silk scarf found on Maple street some little time ago. Owner can have same by paying for this advertisement and calling on Mr. A. H. Symphon.  
2-1-tf.

**FOR SALE.**—Coal at 21 North Main street. You will be pleased with both quality and price.  
1-19-1mo.

**FOR SALE.**—Grocery and meat shop, paying business. Terms reasonable. Address W. A. B. this office.  
1-14-tf.

**WANTED.**—To take orders for making cakes, beaten biscuit, rolls, timbales and rosettes. MISS LUCY COLEMAN BROWNING, 218 College street. Home 'phone 654.  
1-12-1mo.

**FOR SALE.**—Cheap, graphophone, and about 30 records, also large Morning Glory horn. Address N. R. B. this office.  
1-9-tf.

**WANTED.**—To buy furs, scrap iron, and all kinds of metal. Best buyer in town. Chas. Zigman, Main and Washington.  
1-19-1mo.

**FOUND.**—Coral pin on Main street. Owner may have same by calling at this office and paying for advertisement.  
1-25-tf.

**WANTED.**—Sewing at home or in families. MRS. HADDEN, 21 Taylor avenue.  
2-15-1mo.

**FOR SALE.**—House and lot for sale on West Broadway, five rooms, good cistern. LEE J. W. DECK.  
2-13-6t.

**FOR RENT.**—Four rooms for rent. Apply Miss Carrie N. Wills, N. Maple street.  
2-12-6t.

**WANTED.**—To buy clean rags. Apply at The News' office.  
2-17-tf.

**FOR RENT.**—A flat of four rooms with bath, gas and water. DR. GLENMORE COMBS.  
2-17-tf.

**WIRE FENCE.**—I still build all kinds of wire fence. It in the market for same wire or telephone me for prices. JOHN A. TANNER, Winn avenue. Home 'phone 541.  
2-16-tf.

**FOUND.**—In front of Brown-Proctoria a brown belt with gold buckle. Can have same by calling at News' office and paying for advertisement.  
3-16-tf.

**FOR RENT.**—Two houses. N. T. TAYLOR.  
2-17-tf.

**FOR SALE.**—Old papers for sale at this office.  
2-16-tf.

**FOR SALE.**—Solid cherry side board and a folding bed and dresser combined. MRS. F. H. DUDLEY, 228 S. Highland street.  
2-20-3t.

**WANTED.**—At once, nicely furnished room and good board by man and wife. Address or 'phone V. W. Brown, care News' office.  
2-20-1t.

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